BOSTON CONTINUES

SCHICK TEST USE,

City School Committee Starts Its

Campaign Upon 800 East

Boston Pupils

Protest Forwarded to School

Board by Medical Liberty

League Official

In spite of the poisoning of 19 pupils at Concord, Mass., and 25 at Bridge-water, who are ill following the administration of the Schick anti-diphtheric treatment, the Boston School Committee has determined to go on with its program of inconsisting and

theric treatment, the Boston to committee has determined to go on with its program of inoculation and started its campaign today by applying the treatment to 800 school children in the Samuel Adams district, East Boston.

As the school board has officially stated, submission to this treatment is not compulsory and cannot be administered without the written consent of the parent. The consent of 1600 children's parents had been obtained in this district, according to John J. Machaney master by the service of the consent of t

loney, master, but as the result of the severe illness in Bridgeport and Con-cord about one-half of them with-

A protest against the Boston campaign of inoculation was sent to the Boston School Committee today by Henry D. Nunn, general counsel for the Medical Liberty League, Inc. It

Text of Protest

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I was astounded on reading the morning newspapers of today, that the Boston School Committee, at a meeting last night, had decided to Schicktest 3000 pupils in the Boston schools today, in spite of the outcome of recent Schick testing in Concord, Bridgewater and elsewhere. Nearly 50 children have been poisoned in the last week in Massachusetts, and yet your board decides to put this dangerous procedure to the test on healthy Boston school children today.

DESPITE EFFECTS

MR. LLOYD GEORGE **BOWED TO OPINION** OF HIS FOLLOWERS

Opposition in House of Commons Compelled Premier to Change Moderation Views

So-Called Secret Wilson-Clemen ceau Pact Disproved by a Recalled Interview

By SISLEY HUDDLESTON

By Special Cable
PARIS, Feb. 7—It is difficult to un derstand what Mr. Lloyd George means by a secret pact. By his own account in the interview which has created tremendous excitement here, created tremendous excitement here, the so-called secret pact only consisted in M. Clemenceau and President Wilson agreeing upon the occupation of the Rhineland in the temporary absence of Mn. Lloyd George, an agreement in which 36 hours later Mr. Lloyd George joined. In this respect, therefore, there seems to be a misunderstanding and an inaccurate expression on the part of the interviewer or Mr. Lloyd George. But the present writer was intimately connected with this incident, and may render an account of the state of mind of Mr. Lloyd George at this time.

It was not Lord Northcliffe's attack on Mr. Lloyd George which caused the latter to leave the Peace Conference for a few days. It was an interview which The Christian Science Monitor representative had with Mr. Lloyd George in which the British statesman pleaded for moderation.

Interview in Westminster Gazette This interview, published in England in the Westminster Gazette, alarmed those members of Parliament who stood for anything but a moderate peace, and they sent a round robin signed by 270 members, demanding an explanation from the Premier. Needless to say that Lord North-

cliffe had not the smallest part in this incident and was connected neither with the Westminster Gazette nor myser. At that time "down with Germany" was the general cry, and Mr. Lloyd George very courageously tried to stem the tide. This interview struck home. It was really directed against German land for a long period of not due as a concession to extremist and vears. He protested against any kind of annexation, open or disguised, temporary or permanent. There must be no casus belli left to Germany be said. We must no casus belli left to Germany, he dominant personality in Indian polisaid. We must put ourselves in the position of Germany. We must be sensible about the frontier questions, including those specially important to France. A sane peace was what was wanted. It was difficult in the present temper of the world, he said, when righteous passions had been aroused against Germany.

Impossible to Strip Germany

He particularly declared that Alsace-Lorraine had been taken away from Germany, as well as the Saar basin, and it was impossible to go on stripping Germany bare. He further speke of the cost of occupation to me: "If it is not moderate, we will have to keep big armies. The allied armies in Germany now cost £350,000,000 a year for their upkeep. What would it be if we were compelled to increase

Spain Signs Tangier Pact; No Reservations

Paris, Feb. 1
THE Spanish piculpotentiaries today signed the Tangier agreement, having formally withdrawn their reservations to the convention.

INDIAN SWARAJISTS

Virtual Responsible Government

great gravity have manifested them-selves at Delhi where, as the result of many political conferences, the Swarai Party is hoping to capture the great bulk of the Independents and put the Government in a minority on the budget and other vital issues. The Swarajists candidly state that they have agreed to whittle down their policies in some respects, in order to gain the support of the Independents. Whether the new party will be called the Nationalists or the People's Party is uncertain.

is uncertain.

The important fact is that in a house of 143 members, 70 have agreed to sign a pledge to the new party to the effect that if the Government does not make a satisfactory response to the resolution demanding reforms—the reforms demanded being the prompt institution of a virtual responsible government within one month—a policy of systematic obstruction will be initiated when the voting on the demands for grants commences in the Assembly on commences in the Assembly on

The constitution of the new party The constitution of the new party is made up as follows: Madras members, 12; United Provinces, 11; Punjab, nine; Bihar, nine; Bombay, eight; Bengal, eight; Central Provinces, five; Assam, three; Burma, three; Delhi, one; Berar, one. Fortyeight of the party are full-fledged Swaraijats.

Swarajists.
The news of Mahatma Gandhi's release has been received everywhere with wild rejoicing. On the whole, the situation is recognized as due to

NEAR EAST RELIEF PRIZES Special from Monitor Bur

NEW YORK, Feb. 7.—The Near East Relief headquarters announced today that Chester, S. C., has been awarded first prize by the national committee of the Golden Rule Sunday campaign contest. The contest in aid of the Near East Relief Fund took the form of pledges from church members. Each member partook of a simple meal, instead of his or her ordinary fare, returning in to the relief fund the difference in cost. The prize consists of a trip to Palestine by the person selected from the winning community.

COLLEGE NAMED WILSON

VALDESTA, Ga., Feb. 7—The South it be if we were compelled to increase our army and sit down in Westphalia for 30 years. Military experts declare that if we push Germany too far, we must occupy the country with large lege, which is being financed by the Methodist Church to the extent of \$1,-(Continued on Page 3, Column 1)

World News in Brief

Paris (A)—The high cost of living in France promises to be one of the principal issues, injected by the opposition to the present Government, during the campaign for the forthcoming general decision. Posters are being prepared for placing in all the municipalities of France, emphasizing the increase in the price of necessities under the presen

Peorla, III.-A Nation-wide mem to Woodrow Wilson, sponsored by high-school pupils, has been started by the two schools here. Plans call for the faising of \$300,000, 10 cents being con-tributed by more than 3,000,000 pupils.

Washington—A plan recommending congressional approval of a 10-year building program for the air services, is expected to be approved soon by the War and Navy secretaries.

Cleveland-The Grand International Auxiliary of the Brotherhood of Loco-motive Engineers, will convene here May 26, instead of June 2, the original date, it is officially announced.

New York—Pension disbursements totaling \$1,448,112 were made to more than 4000 employees of the United States Steel Corporation and its sub-sidiaries in 1923, through the United States Steel and Carnegie Pension Fund, it is announced

Honolelu (P)—A recreation center and summer school, almost on the brink of Kilaues, on the island of Hawali. the largest continuously active volcand in the world, will be provided for mem-bers of the Hawaii Education Associanow under consideration by the organization.

New York—Railroad freight ship-ments in the east are expected to ex-ceed those of last year about 10 per-cent, according to the Middle Atlantic States Regional Advisory Board.

Constantinople, (P)—The military service bill has been approved by the National Assembly. It establishes compulsory military service for all men. One and a half years is required for the infantry; two years for the artillary, cavalry, air force and engineers, and four years for the navy.

Philadelphia—"Get the big fellows and stop standing around like a lot of movie heroes." This is Brig-Gen. Smedley D. Butler's latest order to the police here. Members of the force, a tired in evening clothes, are to vi hotels in search of persons carrying consuming liquor, General Butler sa

Pierre, S. D.—Gov. W. H. McMaster has asked President Coolidge to take some action to check the rising price of gasoline.

Dublin, (P)—So great is the glut of agricultural horses in County Clare that useful six-year-olds worth \$100 some years ago have been sold for \$15 or \$20, and some fairly good animals have changed hands at \$2.50.

New York (A)-With patriotism as the keynote, the Boy Scouts of America will celebrate Angiversary Week from Feb. 8 to Feb. 14 inclusive. The movement has a total membership of 592,766, which includes scoutmasters and other officials. There are now over 3,000,000 Boy Scouts in the world.

Wheeling, W. Va.—Sentences ranging from 16 to 20 months in the Atlanta Penitentiary, and fines ranging from 44000 to \$10,000, were imposed in the Federal Court here, upon four men who had either pleaded guilty, or had been convicted of conspiracy to violate the prohibition laws.

Dublin (P)—The Free State Government will advance \$1,500,000 as a subsidy to relieve the housing shortage in Ireland. Private builders will benefit as well as municipalities. The purpose is, if possible, to bring down the cost of a three-room house to \$1300; four rooms \$1800, and five rooms, \$2300,

Liverpool, (P)-For the first time in Liverpool, (P)—For the first time in many years a liner put to sea with passengers and crew "chanty" singing, as in the days of the old sailing lugger. When the Oropesa started recently on an 11 weeks' tour around South America, W. N. Jones led the singing of "Down to Rio," passengers and crew later joining heartily in the chorus. During the 19,000 miles tour of the Oropesa, the singing of chanties will be observed with old-time ritual.

NATION'S WOMEN MAKE TARGET OF EQUAL RIGHTS AMENDMENT

Charge Small Group Is Willing to Sacrifice Industrial Gains to Achieve "Blanket Equality"

tions in the trade-union movement, joined with representatives of 11 nation-wide organizations in denouncing the equal rights amendment before the committee, declaring that it represents the desire of only a small group of women willing to sacrifice the great industrial group to achieve "blanket equality."

The committee had expected opposition, but was hardly prepared for the extent or vigor of protest which

INDIAN SWARAJISTS
SUBMIT ULTIMATUM

SUBMIT ULTIM was made audible today. The two ards for working conditions, based upon the needs of women industrial workers.

"It would be disastrous to nullify protective legislation for women," de-clared both fleaders. All of the speakers emphasized the fact that the removal of civil and legal

CLUB WOMEN HEAR Belgian Deputy Plans DRY LAW DEBATED to Move for Dry Law

Charles Sumner Bird Upholds Prohibition Law-Julian Codman Asks Modification

"Notwithstanding law breaking and bootlegging, prohibition is winning the fight slowly but surely. If we can keep liquor from our children, from our young men and women, for one generation, the economic efficiency moral character of America will advance more in one lifetime than it has for 100 years."

Charles Sumner Bird, a former can-didate for Governor of Massachusetts, delivered this convincing argument in at a meeting of the political department of the Women's Republican Club of Massachusetts, at which Mrs. Frederick P. Bagley presided. The meeting was held at the Copley-Plaza Hotel. Julian Codman, a director of the Constitutional Liberty League of Massachusetts, which is against pro-hibition, took the platform as an op-ponent to the prohibition law. Mr. Bird's argument follows in part:

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Prohibition is, by far, the most important problem before the American people today. It not only touches, closely, the economic welfare of society, but it affects, vitally, the physical and moral condition of the people. The crusade against alcohol, which began more than 50 years ago, was, in the early days, mainly a moral issue, but in recent years, with the increase of industrial activity, the practical aspect of the liquor nuisance has come to the front, until it is admitted by those who have studied the matter, that alcoholic beverages are a menace to the physical welfare and industrial efficiency of the American people.

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More than two generations ago Massachusetts made the experiment and allowed the sale of beer alone. At the end of three years' trial the Governor, in his inaugural, described the beer shops as "the greatest obstacle in the social and moral progress of the community." Furthermore, during that period the use of distilled liquors increased, and that is precisely the experience which other states and other nations have had.

Lincoln warned us "against those who consider personal liberty above the law, against those who make light of the law tage do not choose to obey." It each State fails to support the Constitution, with its amendments, our Government will certainly break

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Respect for Law

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It has been covertly suggested by a
distinguished educator that the
amendment inasmuch as it cannot be
repealed, should be made light of.
What chaos that would create! It is
shameful that men of affairs who
stand, supposedly, for honor and efficiency in the business and professional world should, by their example, encourage younger persons to ample, encourage younger persons to break the law which as law-abiding citizens it is their duty to protect and

The use of alcohol as a beverage The use of alcohol as a beverage, even moderately, weakens industrial efficiency. That means in the long run that a wet country cannot compete, successfully, with a dry country in the markets of the world. Hundreds of industrial managers, representing billions of invested capital, have recently testified to the beneficient effect of the Eighteenth Amendment and the Volstead Act.

An examination of conditions in different European countries does not prove that the use of beer and wine has been inoderate and harmless. Alcohol is a narcotic drug, whether in whisky or in beer.

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It becomes increasingly imperative that the engineer, the chauffeur and the industrial operator should discern and avoid dangers that a generation, ago did not exist. The Brotherhood of Locomotive Engineers recognized this years ago. They made a rule that no man who drank intoxicating liquors, on or off duty, could be a member of that yreat organization.

The Eighteenth Amendment is part of the Constitution and put there by the people. To say that it was sprung on the people over night, and suddenly, is absurd. It received much more consideration and forethought than any other amendment. The subject of prohibition has been discussed, countrywide, for more than 50 years, and during that period it has had the vigorous opposition of the most powerful association in the country—the liquor interests.

Wets Preparing Bill

Taking the opposite side, Mr. Cod-

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disabilities for women is desirable, but that it could be accomplished more safely by working for state legislation. (Continued on Page 3, Column 6)

By Special Cable

Brussels, Feb. 7

MILE VANDERVELDE, the Socialist Deputy, announced in the Chamber of Deputies here, yesterday evening, that he would move for the enactment of a dry law in Belgium after the pattern of the Volstead Act in the United States. The announcement came in the course of a debate on the Theunis measure for increasing the duty on alcohol for consumption by 60 cen-times a liter.

Mr. Thounds declared that this inerense would bring into the Treasury was passed by a large majority. During the discussion Mr. Vander-veide declared that he would soon ask for the suppression of the pro-vision for allowing private individ-nals to buy not less than two liters of alcohol in shops, when sales were forbidden in restaurants and hotels.

SENATE ABANDONS PLAN TO QUESTION MR. FALL ON DEALS

Special Counsel Advise Stand-Mr. Doheny Alters Testimony on McAdoo Fees

Special from Monitor Bureau

WASHINGTON, Feb. 7—On advice of special federal counsel, further efforts to question Albert B. Fail were abandoned today by the Senate committee. This, with the statement of Edwin Denby, Secretary of the Navy, defend-ing his course in signing the debated oil leases, and the correction of pre-vious testimony by E. L. Doheny rela-tive to the amount of the retainer fee paid William G. McAdoo's law firm, constituted the most important de-velopments in the Fall-Doheny-Sinclair investigation.

The action of the Committee on Public Lands in vacating the subpœna for Mr. Fall to appear before the committee was based on his previous refusal to answer questions on the ground that his testimony might tend to incriminate him. The committee's counsel advised against compulsion and he will not therefore be required to give testimony which could be used against him.

Mr. Doheny's communication set forth that upon looking into his books forth that upon looking into his books he found that the firm of which Mr. McAdoo is a member had been paid \$100,000 and that thereafter Mr. Mc-doo had been paid \$25,000 a year as a retainer for two years, making a total of \$150,000 instead of \$250,000 paid him as heretofore testified. Mr. Dobeny further said that Mr. McAdoo had had nothing to do with electrons. had had nothing to do with oil con-tracts in the United States.

Mr. Doheny's Politics

Frank B. Willis (R.), Senator from Ohio, read on the floor of the Senate nominating speech at the Democratic convention in 1920, urging the choice of Mr. Doheny for Vice-President. On the Democratic side of the chamber it was said that Mr. Doheny had left the party during the campaign when the Democratic candidate for the Presidency refused to indorse a pol-icy for government interference on behalf of the oil men in Mexico, and that he had contributed to the Repubican campaign fund and voted for Mr.

The Senate today repassed the original resolution offered by Robert M. La Follette (R.), Senator from Wis-

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SOVIET RUSSIA CONSIDERS BRITISH RECOGNITION FINAL

Subsequent Explanations Remove Doubts Originally Raised in Government Circles in Moscow

By Special Cable

MOSCOW, Feb. 7-George Tchitcherin, Soviet Foreign Minister, gave out an optimistic interpretation of the British recognition of the Russian Government, calling the step a "great political event of far-reaching importance on the way to the establishment of universal peace." Mr. Tchitcherin declared that the original doubt raised in the thoughts of the Soviet Government by the message accompanying recognition was cleared up by recently-received semiofficial and unofficial explanations.

Mr. Tchitcherin said: At first we gained the impression that the British suggestion for delay in the appointment of ambassadors meant a delay in the real carrying out of recognition and that a real renewal of normal conditions would only come later, after an agreement concerning outstanding disputed sub-jects such as debts. However, sub-

concerning outstanding disputed subjects such as debts. However, subsequent explanations convinced us
that this doubt was unfounded. The
British suggestion to appoint temporarily a charge d'affaires is only
designed to gain immediate official
representation, pending the nomination of ambassadors, which requires
preliminary negotiations.

We also had doubts regarding old
treaties, as we could not recognize
the binding force of certain prerevolutionary treaties. Our Government at the very beginning of its
existence solemnly repudiated treaties
and agreements restricting the freedom of eastern nations. The Kerensky Government denounced the
Russo-British commercial treaty of
1858. However, we are assured that
the British Government is fully satisfied that if the two governments together examine old treaties with a
view to deciding which have lapsed,
which are binding, and which can be
maintained with alterations, there
will not be the least sign of misunderstanding on this subject.

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Regarding on this subject.
Regarding the propaganda reference, we are assured that the British Jovernment only meant to emphasize he obvious mutual obligation of two riendly powers nonintervention in he internal affairs of each other.

Hopes For Peaceful Relations Mr. Tchitcherin said the proposi

decided, corresponded with the fre-quently expressed wish of the Russian Government. He added: The present British Government includes men who have always professed ideas of peace and a non aggressive policy, and when we recall their previously expressed ideas we can cherish the best hopes for fully establishing peaceful relations between the two countries and contributing toward universal peace.

Mr. Tchitcherin expressed satisfac Mr. Tchitcherin expresses satisfaction over two points in the British note—recognition of the mutuality of Russo-British compensation claims and the mention of the subject of credits which, he said, "is closely interwoven with compensation claims, advisor also will be prepared to anterwoven with compensation claims,

since only credits can create a situa tion where we can discuss the settling rebels. of these claims."

Russian foreign trade could only expand if credits totaling several hundred million gold rubles were granted and expressed the hope that these credits might be forthcoming from Eng-land, as the strongest European financial power, now that the political ob-stacles to commercial relations had been removed. Mr. Krassin suggested applying these credits to the purchase of machinery and other articles neces-sary to develop Russian agriculture,

industry and raw materials. The in-(Continued on Page 3, Column 4)

arrangement, are being planned at the

they are being outlined by Mrs. Prince, Mrs. John Dickinson Sherman

of Chicago, who is chairman of educa-tion for the federation, and Miss Isa-

bel Craig Bacon, special agent for re-tail selling, Federal Board for Vocational Education, as well as the mem-bers of the National Dry Goods Asso-

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give women an opportunity to tell the

normal charge for overhead and dis-tribution?" That is one of the ques-tions the women are determined to

tions the women are determined to answer and they intend to put to the

conferences requests for cost sheets.
"How can the budget help?" is another poser. This, the merchants are

other poser. This, the merchants are preparing to meet by employing per-manent advisors to help any woman who desires advice before purchasing. Whether the woman has \$1000 or

Women to Confer With Merchants

Parleys Designed to Give Federation Members Oppor-

tunity to Air Grievances Against Stores

By MARJORIE SHULER

NEW YORK, Feb. 7-Several hun- | swer "What is in this?" whether the

on Prices, Arrangement, Service

Calls for Equality



Keishiro Matsui tatesman Who Resents Proposals United States for Further Exclusion of Japanese

JAPAN ASKS EQUAL STATUS IN AMERICA

Foreign Minister Appeals for drew their consent. Treatment on Same Footing as Other Countries

TOKYO, Feb. 7 (P)—Viewing with follows in part: apparent anxiety the "increasing restrictions upon Japanese residents in the United States and states." Text the United States and the proposals now before Congress for further exclusion of Japanese," the Foreign Minister, K. Matsui, in an exclusive statement to the Associated Press today, appealed to the United States to heed Japan's cherished desire "to be reated on the same footing with other independent nations.

Defending Japan's attitude toward the question as "conciliatory and well meaning," the statement expresses readiness to discuss anew the problem of restrictions and exclusion

TUXPAM OCCUPIED AS REBEL CAPITAL

BROWNSVILLE, Tex., Feb. 7 (AP)-Adolfo de la Huerta has moved the capital of the revolutionary Government to Tuxpam, Vera Cruz, going to that port, accompanied by his staff on the Aguila Oil Company boat, according to a radiogram to the Associated Press. All revolutionary forces left Vera Cruz city Monday.

The message said there were few cases of looting in the city yesterday. The customs house, telegraph offices and other public buildings were closed. A few business houses were open. Federal forces are not expected to occupy Vera Cruz until Saturday wing to the precessity of reurday owing to the necessity of re-pairing the railroads, torn up by the

"The American warship Richmond Leonid Krassin further discussed the question of credits in a statement and is reported to have given city ofpublished yesterday. He declared that suppressing any lawlessness." the radiogram

TWO BROKERS RESTRAINED

NEW YORK, Feb. 7-Carl Sherman, NEW YORK, Feb. 7—Carl Sherman, Attorney-General, has procured an order from Justice Nathan Bijur of the Supreme Court restraining Irving K. Farrington and Robert B. Cross, doing business under the firm name and style of Irving K. Farrington & Co., at 30 Broad Street, as brokers, from continuing the business of buying and selling stocks, bonds and other securities.

gerous procedure to the test on healthy Boston school children today. This is especially disturbing, in view of the fact that the children who are to be inoculated today are ones whose parents gave their consent before they had knowledge of the Concord and Bridgewater disasters. To take advantage of the consent given by them at a time when they had been assured by the public health authorities of the absolute safety of the procedure, is not only unfair to the parents and to the children, but is foolhardy. These parents should be given sufficient opportunity to weigh the question over again in the light of the information that has just come out. No later ago than Jan. 13, at a meeting in the North Junior High School in Waltham, I heard Dr. Benjamin White make the absolute statement that he knew all of the factors entering into this procedure and that there was absolutely no danger. He asserted that nothing like what occurred in Dallas, Tex. and Macon. Ga., could ever occur again. The impossible has happened in Massachusetts. It is true that the alleged experts in diphtheria immunology tell us that they didn't know that freezing toxin-antitoxin could have any possible effect to make it more poisonous. Same Toxin Being Used

Same Toxin Being Used Nobody can say but what there will be other painful discoveries of things these experts do not as yet know. The enlightenment will be for the experts, but the suffering will be for the children who are inoculated.

The toxin-antitoxin which it is The toxin-antitoxin which it is proposed to use in Boston is from the same source as the toxin-antitoxin used in Concord and Bridgewater. The public health officials and experts have given the most absolute assurance that no serious injuries could happen from the use of this material. The results in Concord and Bridgewater proved that they did not know what would happen.

Schick testing will be done tomorrow in the Eliot School district of the North End. There are about 3000 pupils there, and John F. McGrath, master, says that 80 per cent of the parents have given their consent to the incoulation.

the inoculation Opponents of the process are em-phasizing the great responsibility that rests on the school and health author-

ities who are sponsoring this prac-tice of so-called preventive medicine,

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British Recognition Pieases Russia.

Women Republicans Hear Dry Law Debated

State Now Imports Lumber.

Income Tax Slash, Wadsworth Topic.

Wealth Draft Plan Hearing Arranged.

Progress League Seeks United States

Branch

Boy Scouts Ready for Celebration.

Russian Industrial System Described.

New Low Shipbuilding Record

Italian Premier Recognizes Capital and

Labor of Nation.

which properly may be laid upon them as controlus consumers.

Standardization of products which women have been urging in their clubs for a number of years, the merchants will state in the conferences is impossible. Diversity of opinions and laid of the conference is impossible.

Our Young Folks' Page.
The Page of the Seven Arts.
The Home Forum

Mutual Comfort

dred conferences throughout the product in question be of wool or of United States, at which the 2,000,000 wood or of lace. And she will know members of the General Federation of whether the article is durable or de-Women's Clubs and local merchants sirable only for its beauty. will discuss prices, products and store

The conferences also The conferences also will give thirteenth annual convention of the National Retail Dry Goods Association stores.

will discuss prices, products and store with a convention of the hirteenth annual convention of the sational Retail Dry Goods Association tere this week.

The conferences are an outgrowth of the store educational systems intalled under the direction of Mrs. accinda Wyman Prince of Boston and whether with the store and the sation of the sation representation of the sation of the sation of the sation representation of the sation of the satio of the store educational systems installed under the direction of Mrs. Lucinda Wyman Prince of Boston and will raise her voice in favor of re-arrangement of goods. And so will the woman who has been obliged to take an elevator and walk through two blocks of store aisles to find the paper of pins which she thought she had a right to expect to see near the en-

What women expect of clerks and what women expect of clerks and what they expect of delivery boys will be reported at the conferences and in this great issue of human relationships in stores, the women who state their demands will be indirectly receiving education as to the demands which properly may be laid upon them The conterences ive women an opportunity to tell the perchants what they expect from the tores. "Are prices inflated beyond a tormal charge for overhead and distormal charge fo

women have been urging in their clubs for a number of years, the merchants will state in the conferences is impossible. Diversity of opinions and tastes, they insist, rule the manufacturers, but some simplification is possible and they will point to the reduc-tion from 94 to 23 types of blankets which has just been accomplished by the simplification of industries board

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CONNECTICUT MASONS INSTALL

New Grand Master and Other Officials Inducted at Annual Communication

HARTFORD, Conn., Feb. 7 (Special)-Winthrop Buck of Wethersfield. elected grand master of the Grand Lodge of Connecticut, F. & A. M., was installed today together with the Grand Master, Walter T. Arnold, of Meriden; senior grand warden, Arthur N. Nash of Pawcatuck; junior grand warden, Theodore Foster, of Chester; grand treasurer, Joseph Buths, of Hartford; grand secretary, George A. Kies, of Hartford; grand senior deacon

EVENTS TONIGHT

Dickens Fellowship, Boston Branch Fiftieth anniversary dinner, 3 Joy Street evening.

Boston Public Library: Free public talk
on "The Wonderland of America" by Mrs.
Arthur D. Ropes, Lecture Hall, 8.
Copley Society of Boston: Persian fete,
Exhibition Hall, 491 Boylston Street, evening.

Boston City Club: Motion picture lec-ture, "Cruising with Seal Hunters," by Lleut-Commander Robert A. Bartlett, U. S. N. R. F., 8: dinner, 6. Faelten Planoforte School: Memorial exercises in honor of Marie Dewing Fael-ten, Steinert Hall, 162 Boylston Street,

Boston Y. M. C. A.: New members' din-

Boston Y. M. C. A.: New members' dinmer, 6.
National League of Commission Merchants: Dinner, Young's Hotel, 6.
National City Bank of Chelses: Dinner,
Hotel Westminster, 6:30.
Boston Trade School Association: Annual meeting, school symnasium, 7.
American Society of Mechanical Engineers' Ciub, 7:30.
New England Street Railway ClubDinner and meeting, Copley-Plaza, 6:30.
Hockey: Boston Hockey Club vs. Boston
College, Boston Arena, 8:15.

Music oston Opera House—"Boris Godounoff," 8. Theaters

Theaters

Arlington—"Mary," \$:15.
Copley—"Windows," 8:10.
Hollis—"The First Year," \$:15.
Keith's—Vauideville, 2. 8.
Majestid—"Polly Preferred," 8:15.
Plymouth—"Whispering Wires," 8:20.
Selwyn—Jane Cowl in "Romeo and Julist," 8:10.
St. James—"The Green Goddess," 8:15.
Tremont—"The Clinging Vine," 8:15.
Wilbur—"Up She Goes," 8:10.

Phatanlays

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Photoplays
Fenway—"Heritage of the Desert," 1, 3, 5, 7, 9, State—"Rupert of Hentsau," 12:50, 3:35, 6:20, 9:10. remont Temple—Charles Ray in 'The Courtship of Myles Standish,' 2:15, 8:15.

TOMORROW'S EVENTS

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Boy Scouts of America: Celebrations of fourteenth anniversary of the movement. Lowell Institute: Free public lecture, "Biological and Social Inheritance," opening series on "Social Origins and Social Continuities" by Prof. Aifred M. Tozzer of Harvard University, Huntington Hall, 49! Boylston Street, B.

Boston Ruskin Club: Celebration of one hundred and fifth anniversary of the birth of John Ruskin, Lecture Hall, Boston Public Library, S.

Discussion of the "squal rights" amendment to the Constitution of the United States, now pending in Congress, by Missanita Pollitzer, secretary of the National Woman's Party, and B. Loring Young, speaker of the Massachusetts House of Representatives, home of Mrs. Langdon Frothingham, 476 Beacon Street, 3.

Legislative Council: Meeting, discussion and recommendations for changes in jury service by M. Sylvia Donaldson and Merle D. Graves, state representatives, and Miss Edith M. Haynes, 3 Joy Street, 3.

University extension lecture on "Sudermann" in series on "Modern Continental Writers," by Prof. Robert E. Rogers of M. I. T. Lecture Hall, Boston Public Library, 9:30.

Boston Bastern Star Women's Club: Meeting, address by the Rev. Seeley K. Tompkins, "Robert E. Lee, the Great American," Hotel Vendome, 2.

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Symphony Hall—Poston Symphony Orchestra 2:30.

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Casson Gallery—Etchings by William Strang; water colors by Nora Maynard Green.

Boston City Club—Maine Coast Paintings.

Women's City Club—Paintings by Mackinght and others.

Arts and Crafts Society—Loan exhibit of Oriental pewter.

Grace Horne Gallery—Paintings by Tod Lindenmuth.

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WMZ (Springfield)—11:55, markets. 6, dinner concert. 7, dramatized story, "When the Load Came Off." 7:30, "Tales" of the Kiddies;" current book review; Boy Scout beginner by Scout program—"Star Spangled: "The Keynote;" "Greetings to Boy Scouts in New Lindenmuth.

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Boston Art. Club — Salamagundi Club
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Mayers and Rosamond Tudor.

Museum of Fine Arts.—Forain exhibition.

Vinal's Bookshop.—Water colors by Hugh Perrin.

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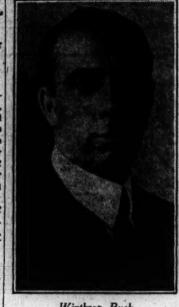
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Winthrop Buck

nstalled as Grand Master at Hartford Robert S. Walker, of Waterbury; grand junior deacon, Harry C. Scofield grand junior deacon, Harry C. Sconeid, of Stamford; grand trustees, Albert S. Comstock of Norwich, D. Fairchild Wheeler of Bridgeport, and Norman C. Stevens of Hartford.

Arthur M. Brown of Jewett City, retiring grand master, gave his address yesterday afternoon, in which he said:

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Although the actual exemplifying of the degrees in the lodge room may not furnish an opportunity to work for all those who may desire such opportunity. Masonry offers other broad fields of service which may well challenge the energies and abilities of us all. We have the duty of carrying out of the lodge room into the world the great principles of brotherly love, relief and truth so beautifully taught within the lodge and so living and practicing these great principles, that our contact with our fellow men everywhere shall be a blessing and an encouragement to them, and our fraternity become a tremendous force for good in this world, and a force for right living and right thinking. As I have come in contact with the Masons al over this State. I have felt that they were coming more and more to recognize the great privilege of being Masons and the tremendous responsibility which such privilege ensponsibility which such privilege en-

George A. Kies, Grand Secretary reported a membership as of Jan. 1 of 41,205, a net gain of 1524. There were 2295 candidates raised, 97 appli cants affiliated, 42 reinstated, and 185 demitted. The four lodges with the largest memberships are: Hartford, Hartford, 1542; St. John's, Hartford, 1386; Hiram, New Haven, 1298: Wooster, New Haven, 1173. Lodges raising more than 50 candidates were: St. John's, Hartford, 114; Annawan, West Haven, 79; Center, Meriden, 57; Hartford, Hartford, 56; Adelphi, New Haven, 54; St. John's, Bridgeport, 53; Receipts of the Grand Secretary's office were \$112.813.42.

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Winthrop Buck, the new Grand Master, is a native of Hartford. He was graduated from Yale in the class of 1900 with the degree of bachelor of arts, and in 1902 received the degree of master of arts. He is a teacher by profession and is now principal of the Noah Webster School in Hartford.

RADIO PROGRAM FEATURES

Tomorrow
WNAC (Boston)—12:01, "Financial Reports." 12:15, church service. 1 to 2 and 4, Federico Troccoli, Boston composer, will play selections from his own compositions. 5, talk, "The Romance of Old New England Homes." 5:30, "The Day in Finance." 6, children's half-hour concert. 8, to 9:30, concert by the Boston City Glee Club, assisted by Virginia Stickney, cello soloist, and Charles Bennett, baritone soloist. 3:30, orchestra.

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Art Exhibitions

Goodspeed's Bookshop — Miscellaneous etchings; etchings by Lester G. Hornby, Guild of Boston Artists—Paintings by Frederick A. Bosley.

Vose Gallery — Paintings by Abbott Graves.

Casson Gallery—Etchings by William Strang; water colors by Nora Maynard Green.

Boston City Club—Maine Coast Paintings of the World War.

Grean Goodspeed's Bookshop — Miscellaneous etchings by Abbott Graves.

WGI (Medford Hillside)—12, music.

12:45, markets. 3, Amrad Women's Club, "The Greatest Need on our Farms Today." 3:30, talk by "Big Smoke." 5:36, police reports. 7:30, poems; concert. 815, reading of The Boy Scout Oath, concert and address by Dr. C. E. Burt, State ommander of Disabled American Veterans of the World War.

WBZ (Springfield)—11:55

WGY (Schenectady)—12:40, markets. 2, music; "Short Cuts in Housekeeping." 6, markets. 6:30, children's program. 7:45, music; address, "Scouting," repetition of Scout Oath. 8:15, radio drama, "Icebound." 10:30, concert.

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WEAF (New York)—11. "European
Problems," by S. K. Ratcliffe. 11:50,
markets. 4, music. 5, effories and songs
for children. 7:30, sports talk. 7:40,
reading of Scout Oath. 8, concert. 8:30,
weekly news digest. 9, orchestra 10:00,
concert. 10:45, broadcast from meeting of
the Bond Club in Chicago of speeches
and music from San Francisco and other
points.

points.

WJZ (New York)—12:14, music. 3, organ recital. 5, "The Larger Aspect of World Affairs." 5:15, songs. 5:30, markets, and report on "Condition of Leading Businesses." 7, stories for children. 7:30 The Cheerfu! Philosopher." 7:50, songs. 8:05. "Looseleaf Current Topics." 9, music. 9:30, "Home Building." 10, orchestra.

WOR (Newark)—2:30, music. 3, "How I Produce a Play" by Mary Kirkpatrick. 3:30, music. 6:15, dinner concert. 6:30, Man in the Moon Stories."

WRC (Washington) — 6, children's stories. 6:15, "The Question Box." 7:45, Bible talk. 8, sorgs. 9, talk on Marine Corps. 9:15, concert. 10, band concert.

WINTER CARNIVAL

Hundreds of Visitors Arrive in City to Participate in Big

Program of Events

This morning was given over to skiing, snowshoeing, tobogganing coasting and sleighing by all who de-sired to participate. Guides were provided to conduct parties to the best snowshoeing, skiing and tobogganing, which are to be found within a short distance of the city. The parties formed at the Maine Publicity Bureau headquarters. During the fore noon the dog teams were on exhibi-tion on Congress Street and in other parts of the city.

Open skating events for boys and girls, and a hockey game between Westbrook Seminary and the Portland. High School teams will take place this afternoon. Friday morning the Carnival Queen, drawn by the Mac-Carnival Queen, drawn by the Mac-Millan dog team, will make a tour of the shopping district, while at Deer-ing's Oaks there will be free rides behind other dog teams. In the after-noon there will be high-school skating events, snewshoe and ski relay races for boys and girls, and a cross-coun-try ski race.

Dartmouth Carnival

Program Is Opened HANOVER, N. H., Feb. 7 (Special) —A Dartmouth winter carnival far surpassing any of the previous 13 outdoor celebrations conducted by the Dartmouth Outing Club was ushered in today with the arrival of hundreds of guests on special trains. Diversity of attraction during the three-day period has been sought by the com-mittee in charge, which will introduce

several new features this year. Perfect weather conditions for out-Perfect weather conditions for outdoor sports exist, and participation
by all guests in outdoor sports will
be encouraged throughout the program. Facilities for winter sports
have been increased this year by the
construction of a large artificial skating rink in the center of the college
campus and the erection of a twotrack toborsan chute on the new Metrack toboggan chute on the new Me-morial Field grandstand. This evening will bring all persons

attending the carnival to the Dart-mouth campus where skating exhibi-tions and races will be held on a light-flooded rink surrounded by colored ice columns. The major portion of the evening will be devoted to activities around the rink, closing with a display of fireworks. Fraternity dances

MRS. ASTOE TO BE CANDIDATE NEWPORT, R. I., Feb. 7 (Special) —Mrs. Helen Astor, wife of Vincent Astor, a nephew of Lady Astor, mem-ber of the British Parliament, has announced her intention to enter the political field. Mrs. Astor will be a candidate, according to the announce-ment for a place on the Rhode Island delegation to the Republican national convention at Cleveland, O.

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England's Fishing Fleet to Be Modernized by Radio played a Schubest funeral march, and at its conclusion the audience rose and stood in silence until the curtains again covered the stage. The tribute was so impressive that it was some time before the audience seemed able to give its attention once more to the simulated attention once more to the simulated New England's Fishing Fleet

Lower Costs to Consumer, Amusement for Crews and Stabilization of Industry Seen in Proposed Plan

Program of Events

PORTLAND, Me., Feb. 7 (Special)
—From all over western and southern Maine, and even from other sections of the State, and from New Hampshire as well, are coming hundreds of winter sports enthusiasts to participate in the great carnival which opened here this forenoon and which will continue through Saturday.

Many of the champion ski jumpers of the United States and Canada have entered the ski jumping contest which is to be held on Saturday afternoon; Dr. MacMillan's famous Arctic dog team will be present throughout the entire celebration in charge of Harold Whitehouke, who scoompanied Dr. MacMillan on his last exploration expedition.

Substitution of Industry

Seen in Proposed Plan

brings word to the various vessels, that the market is glutted with fish, the fishermen knows that there is little profit in his trip at that time. Primarily the installation of radio sets on fishing vessels, is intended for mark a new era in the marketing of the various craft reaching the South Boston fish pler, quick to see the possibilities of the crew, according to the skippers, but the possibility of much greater advantages is so strong that a fish-period whitehouke, who scoompanied Dr. MacMillan on his last exploration expedition.

Such a procedure, it is pointed out, would be advantageous to the vessels in avoiding the glutted markets that

MacMillan on his last exploration expedition.

There will be a King and Queen of the carnival who will take part in all of the events and who tonight will be officially crowned by Mayor Philip J. Deering of Portland, at a big public celebration. The King is Maj. T. E. Philbrook, surveyor of the part, and the Queen is Miss Wintons

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THEATERS

"Windows" at the Copley

Galsworthy's new comedy, "Windows," was presented again last evening at the Copley Theater, where it is to be acted the rest of this week by the Henry Jewett Repertory Company. Next week "Misalliance," a comedy by George Bernard Shaw, will be presented for the first time at this theater.

"Windows" is a steadily interesting appraisal of a British household confronted with the problem of making a contented member of society out of a rebellious girl. Faith Bly, who has just been released from prison. May Ediss gives an imaginative presentation of this girl, and no more sympathetic than the truthful author intended.

The members of the company eminently managed to convey the atmosphere of the period. Each brought out the grace and finesse demanded by the characters, and where all did well and none excelled the other, it is and none excelled the other, it is merely necessary to name the cast, which was as follows: Sir Peter Teazle, Mr. Buckler; Charles Surface, Mr. Mowbray; Joseph Surface, Mr. West; servant to Joseph, Mr. Scott; and Lady Teazle, Miss Paget.

Teazle, Miss Faget.

Preceding the play recitations were delivered, Mr. Hulse and Mr. Tonge supplying the humorous element and Mr. Clive the serious. Mr. Hampden contributed two songs. As usual at these special matinées there was an atmosphere of cameraderie, which was quite communicating to the caswal visquite communicating to the casual visitor. The enjoyment of the performers in giving pleasure to the members of the club and their guests is by no means the least happy note on these

EASTERN MASSACHUSETTS Eastern Massachusetts Street Railway reports to Department of Public Utilities net income available for dividends for the fourth quarter of 1923 \$222,226 compared with \$241,488 for the corresponding period of 1922; and 1922 year net income \$378,534, compared with \$1,069,793 in 1922.

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The day's catch is then prepared for market and dressed by the glare of faming torches on the deck, a portion of the work that often lasts until

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Mr. Bazeley Says Condition Con-

stitutes an Emergency - State

Forests Cover 65,000 Acres

Reasons for the preservation of the forests of the State were given today at the conference on forest care and

propagation which was held at the Boston City Club today by William A. L. Bazeley, commissioner of con-servation, who said:

Massachusetts, which up to within a comparatively brief time was self-supporting, or in other words, was producing from her own soil all the timber needed for its wood-using industries and for construction purposes, is now importing from outside the state approximately 80 per cent of her requirements. Such a condition, in my opinion, constitutes and

tion, in my opinion, constitutes an emergency which is the concern of every citizen of the Commonwealth. Forestry in Massachusetts has be-

The General Court in 1920 author-

The General Court in 1920 authorized the purchase and reforestation of 100,000 acres of such lands at a cost not to exceed \$5 an acre covering a period of 15 years. This project involves an expenditure of \$3,000,000 and eventually will result in adding immeasurably to the wealth, prosperity, and enjoyment of the Commonwealth

monwealth.
On Dec. 1, the acreage of state forest land amounted to approximately 65,000 acres.

Improvement has been noticeable,

the commissioner said, as the result of "the co-operation of the state police under Capt. George A. Parker."

He added: "The work of these men has been marked with great effi-ciency, and their vigilance has been

an important factor."

M. C. Hutchins, state fire warden.

was the presiding officer at today's conference sessions. In the afternoon George L. Johnson of Waltham, Fred-

erick H. Pye of Stoughton, John P. Crowe of Westboro and Mr. Hutchins were the speakers. They discussed the improvement of the service of ob-

servers, town warden organization and enforcement of the forest protec-

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of the work that often lasts until well into the night. The men sr a few winks of sleep and repeat the On the other hand, when the radio fog or weather interfere.

MUSIC

"Traviata" and "Carmen" Verdi's "La Traviata" was the opera presented by the Chicago company at the Boston Opera House yesterday afternoon. The cast:

Annia Correnti

Conductor, Pietro Cimini

It was Mme. Muzio's day. "La

Traviata" by ordinary is given as good,
old-fashioned Italian opera; indeed, it is
difficult to make anything more of it.
But Mme. Muzio yesterday infused it
with a realistic histrionism that raised
it nearly into the class of music drama.
Her light gaiety in the beginning, followed by the first rays of real affection for Alfred; the tragic pathos of her
sacrifice in the second act; the cruelty
of her suffering in the baliroom scene,
the tragedy of her end, all were depicted with the consummate artistry
that comes of self-abnegation. Her personal charm was made tributary to the this girl, and no more sympathetic than the truthful author intended.

Violet Paget makes a real personage of the lady of the manor, Joan March, who, against her better judgment, is persuaded by her theorizing husband, her versifying son and her amiable daughter, to give Faith a trial as a domestic servant. When Faith finally breaks away from the household, as from another prison, Joan sums up the story in these words: "We were all trying to save her, and she only wanted to be loved."

Gaisworthy once more preaches the doctrine of individual kindliness, durable and patient, as being of more help in lightening the burden of the weak and oppressed than any quantity of indignant letters to The Times attacking the Government. Even the grand gestures of the chivalrous son of the household. Galsworthy indicates, are of no value after their brief hour of fireworks is over.

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of no value after their brief hour of fireworks is over.

Mr. Clive again clothes himself with the thoughts as well as the outward aspect of Bly, homely philosopher and window cleaner. C. Wordley Hulse provides a penetrating study of the fatuous Geoffrey March, whose idea of liberalism is, according to his discerning wife, that "whatever is, is wrong." A large audience followed the play closely last evening and marked its progress with many responsive chuckles to its wisdom and wit.

Repertory Club Meeting

Diversion of a most pleasing order was provided by the members of the Frances Jewett Repertory Club yesterday afternoon at the Copley Theater, when the screen scene from Sheridan's "The School for Scandal" was presented-by the Henry Jewett Repertory Company.

At 3 o'clock, in the intermission be ween the first two acts, the curtains announcement to reveal a large photograph of Woodrow Wilson, surrounde graph of Woodrow Wilson, surrounder by wreaths and plants. The orchestr

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WOMEN TO WORK FOR REGISTRATION

the audience seemed able to give its attention once more to the simulated sorrows of the opera.

Last night "Carmen" was repeated, with Miss Sharlow as a pleasing Micaela. Miss Garden, in the role to which she seems most suited, gave great pleasure to her many admirers in the large audience. Mr. Baklanoff was a virile Escamillo.

But Mr. Ansseau's José stood out above all else. Nearly all Carmens are at least passably good, but for many an arid year the indulgent operagoer has watched rotund Josés toddle across the boards, seldom achieving effects more than ludicrous. But here is a tenor who not enly has a powerful and resonant voice but whose appearance is both attractive and masculine; here is a José who might plausibly interest a Carmen, who chokes her as if he meant it; here at last is a jealous and vengeful lover whose knife no Carmen might escape.

Republican Conference Ends at Worcester—Major Knox

Among the Speakers

WORCESTER, Mass., Feb. 7—

Efforts to increase the registration of women in all the New England states and thereby ald in the election of President Calvin Coolidge, if he is to be the choice of the Republican national convention, were pledged today at the final session of the New England conference of Republican women. It was voted to hold the next conference at Manchester, N. H., at a date in the fall to be announced later.

Maj, Frank H. Knox, of Manchester. in the fall to be announced later.

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Maj. Frank H. Knox, of mannesser, N. H., speaking last night at the ban-quet of the conference declared that with the revelations of the Teapot Dome investigation and the desperate partisan efforts to besmirch the man in the White House, the situation de-manded an administration which is distinctively and peculiarly Presidetn Coolidge's own

"The only way this can be brought out." he said. "obviously must be through the voluntary resignation of the entire Cabinet and the creation of a new Cabinet from Coolidge-chosen material. I haven't a doubt that the President would immediately invite the majority of the present Cabinet to retain their portfolios. But such a dis-position of affairs would enable him to make replacements where he thought changes wise. And no man, under such conditions, could complain of unjust or unfair treatment."

Other speakers at the banquet in-cluded Lieut.-Goy. Alvan T. Fuller and William S. Felton, executive board chairman of the Republican State Com women to go back to their respective localities and preach the doctrine of a reduction in taxes which would bring a decrease in the high cost of living and for which program the Republican Party stood.

come an economic necessity and it is for the purpose of meeting the de-mands of the future that we are now engaged in the acquisition of wild and waste lands for the purpose of referrestriction. The afternoon session was featured by an address by Eliot Wadsworth of Boston, Assistant Secretary of the Boston, Assistant Secretary of the United States Treasury, who explained the Mellon tax reduction plan which he said would relieve much of the burden of taxation. He said that the Republican administrations had been, responsible for whatever tax reduc-tions the American people had en-

Other speakers included Mrs. Coffin Van Rensslaer of New York, executive secretary of the women's department of the National Civic Federation; Rupert P. Putton of Boston, who told the women how they could aid enforcement and the national committeewoman of the New England states.

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MR. LLOYD GEORGE **BOWED TO OPINION** OF HIS FOLLOWERS

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The Germany said, do what you forces. What good will that what you supposing Germany said, do what you like. Come into our country; the latch is not on the door. Occupy Berlin if you please. What satisfaction would that be to us? Who is going to pay for occupation and where is the army coming from? Is the army coning to exist for the mere purpose of extracting from Germany enough money to pay for itself? That would be the limit of absurdity."

George stood against this thing which was "the limit of absurdity," he was obliged to submit to the strongly expressed feelings of the British Parliaent, which was alarmed at the modment, which was alarmed at the moveration of his views as expressed in this interview, which became famous. He came back to Paris ready to agree to whatever President Wilson and M. Clemenceau had agreed upon. During his absence, Mr. Wilson had indeed been won over to the present system of solving the Rhineland question. Thus The Christian Science Monitor representative is able to corroborate what seem the main lines of the Lloyd George story, without, however. Lloyd George story, without, nowers, reflecting in the smallest degree on Mr. Wilson, who was free to make up his mind in whatever sense he pleased, nor on M. Clemenceau, who employed

How can the understanding reached between M. Clemenceau and Mr. Wil-son be regarded as a secret pact? Louis Tardieu, who the Monitor representative has consulted on this matter, strongly denies that there was ever a secret convention. All the proposi-tions and notes relative to the left bank of the Rhine were invariably given simultaneously to Mr. Lloyd George and Mr. Wilson.

Recame Part of Treaty

The text that Mr. Wilson accepted on April 20 had been in the hands of Mr. Lloyd George for a fortnight. Mr. Lloyd George for a forthight. Mr. Lloyd George accepted it on April 22 on his return. These clauses became articles 428 to 432 of the Treaty of Versailles. As Mr. Tardieu added: "To describe as a secret convention a project which had been in the hand of the British and American delegates for two weeks, and which by the acci-dental absence of Mr. Lloyd George happened to be approved by Mr. Wil-son, a few hours before Mr. Lloyd George, is improper. Vital guarantees obtained for France on the Rhine were

obtained after months of hard struggle, but were obtained loyally."

In the same way M. Poincaré. through the Quai d'Orsay declares that he did not wait till Mr. Wilson had passed on to demand the consent of the British Government to the publica-tion of the yellow book which will contain the documents respecting French security

Instructions Sent to Ambassador

It was in December that instructions were sent to the Ambassado who made a demarche before Jan. 8 There is no document to which the description of Mr. Lloyd George applies. If there were conversations between them during his absence, and why not? Mr. Lloyd George knew the results on his return and immediately

The real significance of the interview is believed to lie in the fact that this year the French are due to leave one section of the Rhineland. Evacuation is to be effected in part every five years. Now the French do not intend to evacuate the first zone. They noint to the qualifying clauses which make the evacuation conditional on German fulfillment of its obligations and sufficient guarantees against unit is evident that the occupation must continue, but it is felt that the British Government means in June next to ask for a partial evacuation. Mr. Lloyd George is regarded as the stage manager of the future political scene, but there is some clumsiness in which the function is being fulfilled.

MILLS' VALUATION FOUND EXCESSIVE

FALL RIVER, Mass., Feb. 7 (Special)—A decision in favor of the mills has been reported to the Superior Court by Fred T. Field, master, in the suit by Fred T. Field, master, in the suit for abatement of taxes brought by the King Philip Mills against the City of Fall River. The corporation claimed that the readjustment in its valuation by the city assessors in 1921 was excessively high, and petitioned for abatements of taxes. The report of the master would allow a reduction aggregating \$497,400 in the assessed valuation of the mills, in consequence of which

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Telephone Vanderbilt 6897 the city would be forced to rebate \$11,-000 in taxes.

The King Philip Mills vs. the City of Fall River decision is the first to be reported of a number of similar suits brought against the City of Fall River cotton mills. The city assessors placed a per spindle valuation of \$26.75 on this corporation, and the mills claimed that the per spindle valuation should not exceed \$18. The master decided that \$23 was a fair valuation.

SENATE ABANDONS PLAN TO OUESTION MR. FALL ON DEALS

(Continued from Page 1)

n, upon which the investigation British Parliament's Pressure
Nevertheless, although Mr. Lloyd
eorge stood against this thing which
as "the limit of absurdity," he was
"the limit of absurdity," he was not authorized to act under a resolution passed by a former one.

Mr. Denby, anticipating action on the resolution requiring him to with-draw from the Cabinet, issued a statement last evening asserting that there are three basic questions involved in the oil leases and answering them all. Mr. Denby issued his statement in the form of a telegram to Roy D. Chapin, Detroit, Mich. He said, in

MOTOR REGISTRAR CRITICIZES JUDGES

One-Third in Lower Court He Calls Too Lenient

One-third of the lower court judges of the State are altogether too lenient in their disposition of automobile cases, according to Frank A. Good-win, registrar of motor vehicles, in speaking before the joint legislative committee on ways and means today on a recommendation that his force of inspectors be increased by 20, a proposal which was turned down by the state commission on administration and finance.

Mr. Goodwin was seeking to show the committe that his decisions in the suspension or revocation of licenses are not made in an arbitrary manner as some of the members of the committee appeared to believe. asked about the attitude of the courts toward drunken drivers.

"There have been between 200 and 300 cases in which drivers who have been charged with operating while under the influence of liquor have got because they have fixed it up

Representative Henry L. Shattuck, house chairman of the committee, previous to the charges of Mr. Goodwin, had expressed the opinion that one reason why lower court judges do not sentence persons accused of driving under the influence of intoxicants was

The speaker thought that the unlimited right of appeal has much to experience. do with the attitude of the lower court justices. If these justices sen-of civil service commissioners, spoke tenced all the drivers coming before in opposition to the bill of State Audithem on the charge of reckless opera-tion, Mr. Shattuck thought the ap-peals to the Superior Court would be subject only to approval by the Govso many it would be necessary to ernor and Council. Mr. Dana said quadruple the number of justices the bill would not "get around" quadruple itting on that bench.

Registrar Goodwin, speaking for the though the appointments would be nerease in his inspector al force, said subject to confirmation by the Gov he realized much delay exists in ex- ernor and Council, the positions would

MAINE GUARD CHANGES CAMP PORTLAND, Me., Feb. 7—The 193d Maine Infantry, National Guard, is to undergo its annual 15-day tour of training duty at Fort Ethan Allen. Vermont, instead of Camp Devens, Massachusetts. Col. Harry M. Bigelow, commanding officer, said last night that the regiment probably would mobilize in Portland on July 26.

MILLS RUNNING NIGHTS DRACUT, Mass., Feb. 7 (Special)— Some of the operatives in the Merrimac Woolen Mills here are working day and night to fill rush orders that have been received. Other mills in this vicinity have received orders that will keep them busy for some time to come.





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working under Herbert Hoover, United States Secretary of Commerce. The consumer will also be told what the educational directors in the stores are accomplishing. The trained cierk can wait on five customers at once, they say, thus removing an old cause for complaint by woman shoppers. The trained clerk knows how to manage the cash register beyond the possibility of mistakes and consequent delays, for she has had at least three weeks of schooling for an hour and a half a day on this particular point, instead of only being told by the manager. "When you make a sale punch ager. When you make a sale punch
A." The extension of this training in
the interest both of the store and the

consumer will be urged.

The store training work which was started by Mrs. Prince at the Women's Educational and Industrial Union of Boston 20 years ago, had its first con-vention 10 years ago with 30 persons in attendance. This year there are about 700 persons attending its sessions, representing some store workers. Many educational directors in the stores are college graduates, forming a new bridge between the colleges and industry.

PREJUDICE SEEN IN VETERANS' CASE

General Edwards Criticizes Act of Auditor Cook

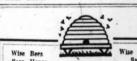
"being actuated by prejudice" by Mai.-Gen. Clarence R. Edwards, state commander of the American Legion, when he appeared today before the joint legislative committee on state admi-nistration. The charge grew out of the failure of Auditor Cook to appoint as assistant auditors in his office men who had passed the civil service examination and who are said to be disabled veterans. "A plain evasion of the law," was another phrase used by General Edwards in criticising the action of Auditor Cook who was not present at the hearing but was represented by Daniel C. Denniston, a deputy auditor.

hearing was the culmination of the disagreement between the auditor's office and the State House office of the American Legion. Mr. Denniston said that the auditor had refused to appoint the three men in question simply because they were too the knowledge that the accused would appeal the sentence to a higher court, and that nothing could be done by that body.

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Payson Dana, chairman of the board civil service laws. because

lo accept responsibility for such de-lay until the Legislature gave him a sufficient force to handle the work. the veterans had passed the civil service examination, which called for one year's experience, and Commis-103d sioner Dana said that the examiner for the commission in marking the papers, investigated the claims of the men that they had this experience, and marked the papers accordingly. One of the examiners was a professor at the Institute of Technology, Mr.



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stated by Miss Bacon is for "more edu-cational departments in stores, for morning classes in the public schools for adult workers, and for store training in the public schools for boys and girls who have not yet entered the trade." Twenty-two states now have made a beginning with such adult classes and 72 cities in 28 states from New York to California and as far south as Texas have trained teachers in high schools to give store education to prospective workers. The latest deprospective workers. The latest development in the work is the "itinerant teacher" who goes from community to community where the stores are not sufficiently large to maintain permanent training of this type.

As a result of this educational work the saleswoman is not dropped into the store to sink or swim. Instead her special interests and abilities are studied and there is an attempt to but her in the department where she will enjoy her work. From teaching bundle girls how to avoid knots in string, to adjusting home problems, looking after the legal affairs as well as the general welfare of the employees of the store, the educational director has a big business on hand director has a big business on hand.

ates, forming a new bridge between the colleges and industry.

Educational Departments

The present aim of the Federal Board for Vocational Education as

DRAMA BY RADIO CALLED SUCCESS ON "FIRST NIGHT"

SAN FRANCISCO, Calif., Jan. 22 (Staff Correspondence) -- An experiment in radio drama at the broadcast-Alonzo B. Cook, State Auditor of ing station of the General Electric Massachusetts, was charged with Company, Oakland, has been pro-Company, Oakland, has been pro-nounced a success. William Archer's "The Green Goddess," the four-act play popularized by George Arliss, was "staged" recently. William Company "staged" recently. Wilda Church di-rected the cast of players from the University of California and Berk-

tating the whirring airplane, its crash hours

This is said to be the first experi-ment in radio drama in the west, but is called the forerupner of regular "seasons" of this new type of stage presentation involving a distinct tech-nique in contrast to the motion pic-ture where scene apd action are vis-ualized. The General Electric Com-pany's station at Oakland has a broad-casting radius of 4000 miles.

EXPERTS TO SPEAK ON HOME ECONOMICS

provide subjects for special consideration at the mid-winter meeting of the ciation to be held at Simmons College on Saturday. At the general session which is to open the program. Donald K. David of Harvard Graduate School on "Charge It, and Then What Hap-

on "Charge It, and Then What Happens?"
This will be followed by sectional meetings in the afternoon. W. Herrick Brown, sales manager in the bond department of a Boston bank, is to address the teachers' section on "Having Saved, What I Shall Not Do With My Savings." "The Problem of Our Food Supply" is the subject of a talk to be given by Alden E. Briggs, executive secretary of the Boston Fruit Preducers' Exchange, before the homemakers' section.

WGY TO BROADCAST PRESIDENT'S SPEECH

NEW YORK, Feb. 7-Through cooperation with station WJZ of New York, station WGY, Schenectady, broadcasting station of the General Electric Company, will transmit an address to

Company, will transmit an address to be delivered by President Calvin Coolidge at the Lincoln birthday celebration of the National Republican Club of New York, at the Waldorf, Tuesday evening, Feb. 12.

In this address the President is expected to sound the keynote of the campaign for his nomination for the presidency. James W. Wadsworth Jr. (R.), Senator from New York, also will deliver an address. The speaking will deliver an address.

The piece was changed in places to convey the idea of action by means deliver an address. The speaking will of ingenious mechanical devices imistart at 9 o'clock and continue two

SOVIET RUSSIA CONSIDERS BRITISH RECOGNITION FINAL

creased quantity of goods thus made available for export would provide a means of repaying the principal and

May Inspire Other Countries Mr. Krassin expressed the conviction that British recognition would inspire

other countries desiring a Russian market to take similar action. Maxim Litvinoff announced that the signing of a Russo-Italian agreement was imminent, although with possible reservations regarding certain dis-puted points. The Government has received official information that Benito Mussolini considers the act of recognition completed and plans to send an ambassador soon. An Italian firm has already ordered 3000 tons of

benzine and 2000 tons of kerosene from the Baku Oil syndicate. F. C. Zinovieff, defining the policy of the Soviet Government before a closed meeting of Communist memreported to have declared that the Soviet Government, surrounded by capitalist powers, will show "thou-

sand times carefulness" in avoiding new wars. He declared against the granting of concessions too hastily, recalling Nikolai Lenine's opposition to the Urquhart concession and saying:
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in the Indian fastnesses of Rukh, the radio flash to a civilized point and the ceremonious Indian music and incantations in the palace of the rajah. The California trio furnished incidental Indian music suggestive of the Far East setting. This is said to be the first experiment in radio drame in the wast but OF EQUAL RIGHTS AMENDMENT

Miss Mary van Kleeck, director of industrial studies of the Russell Sage
Foundation, declared that the proposed
amendment is "too vague and uncertain in its terms," and that its interpretation would be such a complicated
process that it would put the courts in
the position of legislating.

Changes in the Constitution are desirable, she said, only when legislation cannot be drawn up to accomplish

tion cannot be drawn up to accomplis that end, as in the case of child labor Women have the vote, and with that weapon should be able to put through ON HOME ECONOMICS

Charge accounts and investments will crovide subjects for special consideration at the midawinter meeting of the New England Home Economics Association to be held at Simmons College and definite laws, such as the independent of the status of the sta pendent citizenship law, will accom plish the results sought by proponents of the blanket equal rights amend-ment, without the dangers attached to that measure

Protective Legislation

Mrs. Maud Swartz of New York, president of the National Women's Trade Union League, told the committee, "There is a specific difference in the jobs which men and women must undertake in the world, as now constituted. Protective legislation should have every opportunity to ex-pand, instead of being nullified through a blanket amendment," she

A number of industrial workers de-clared that the Women's Party "has nothing in common with industrial workers" and that it disregards the is no such thing as "equality of oppor-tunity" for men and women in indus-try without legislation to protect the woman worker from the unscrupu-lous employer, it was declared.

Mrs. Thomas G. Winter, president of the General Federation of Women's Clubs, sent to the committee a state-ment that the organization is opposing the equal rights amendment, and lished "should greatly regret to see the Lena standing of protective legislation jeop- and practized, as the best legal opinion has zation. stated it will be by passage of such ar

sentatives appeared in opposition to the amendment were the American Feder-

of Women, the Young Women's Christian Association, the National Council of Catholic Women, the National Council of Jewish Women, the American Federation of Teachers, the American Home Economics Association, the Girls' Friendly Society in America, and the National Consumers' League.

Business Women's Convention May Vote of Equal Rights Bill

DALLAS, Tex., Feb. 7 (Special) Friends of the proposed Lucretia Mott equal rights amendment to the United States Constitution today began determined efforts to obtain favorable con-sideration of the amendment from the legislative committee of the National Federation of Business and Professional Women's Clubs. This committee will report to the federation's national executive committee, which opened its midwinter business confer-

ence here today. Mary Stewart of Washington, D. C. Mary Stewart of Washington, D. C., is chairman of the legislative committee, among whose members there is reported considerable opposition to the equal rights amendment. The legislative report is one of the most important to be submitted by 10 stand-

ing committees.

While the executive committee was in session at one hotel this morning, Mrs Florence Bayard Hilles of Wilming-ton, Del., representing the National Council of the National Woman's Party was scheduled to speak in another making a strong plea for the amend-ment before the Dallas Women's Polit ical League. Business and professional women delegates express the belief that Mrs. Hilles appearance simul-taneously with their own conference will help bring the equal rights amendment to a determining issue be-fore the executive committee adjourns. An effort is to be made to inaugurate a movement to increase the Lena Lake Forrest scholarship fund, estab-lished at Portland last year. The late

Lena Lake Forrest of Detroit was see ond president of the national organi-

UNIVERSALIST CLUB DINNER

Other organizations whose representatives appeared in opposition to the amendment were the American Federation of Labor, the National League of Women Voters, the National Council Dr. Elwood Worcester will speak.

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Through ways of avoiding the high surtaxes that are perfectly legal and proper, such as investment in nontaxable securities, the present maximum federal income surtaxes are not proving effective, and are actually being escaped by those who are supposed to pay them, to an alarming degree. The existing maximum surtaxes have proved impractical in collecting the revenue which the Federal Government must have, and for this reason the Mellon plan proposes to reduce them to a point where men of large income will be induced to take their money out of tax exempts and put it back in private industry.

Fewer Taxable Incomes Through ways of avoiding the high

Fewer Taxable Incomes

In support of the Mellon plan which would reduce the maximum surtax from 50 per cent to 25 per cent, and the normal tax from 8 per cent to 6 per cent, Mr. Wadsworth offered statistics to show how, through the purchase of tax-exempt securities, the number of large taxable incomes

purchase of tax-exempt securities, the number of large taxable incomes has shrunk in recent years. He said:

In 1916 there were 1300 taxable incomes of over \$300,000 a year; in 1921 only 248. The total of these incomes in 1916 was about \$1,000,000,000; in 1921, \$153,000,000. In 1919 the tax yield from these incomes was \$261.000,000 and in 1921 only \$88,000,000. It is safe to say that the 1922 figures, when assembled, will show further reductions. The main reason, therefore, for reducing the surtax is because it has proved impractical in collecting the revenue which the Government must have.

About three-fifths of the total Federal tax bill against the people which is now approximately \$2.750,000,000 a year, excluding customs, comes from income tax. The burden is carried by those who do not make returns to Washington as well as by those who do, for the former, like everyone else, must pay taxes indirectly, through the increased prices on commodities that taxation causes Most people agree that the Mellon plan reduction of the normal tax is proper and that a lower tax on wages and salaries, as compared with income on a fixed investment, is entirely reasonable.

It is estimated that these two items would relieve the taxpayer to the ex-

tirely reasonable.

It is estimated that these two items would relieve the taxpayer to the extent of \$190,000,000 a year. On the other hand, the surtax rate was the chief bone of contention, yet this rate had been worked out by experts who had been studying for months to determine the fairest and most constructive method of treating them.

Investment Taxes Compared

Discussing the question of taxexempt securities with a representa-tive of The Christian Science Moni-tor, Mr. Wadsworth pointed out that it now takes a return of 11 per cent on private taxable investment to equal the return of a 4½ per cent non-taxable security for a man of large income. He added:

Suppose you went to John D. Rockefeller and discussed with his secretary the question of getting him secretary the question of getting him to invest in some construction work, or even of taking a farm mortgage. The farm mortgage could not return more than 6 per cent, yet on this return Mr. Rockefeller would have to pay a total federal tax of 58 per cent. To offer him a private investment with a possibility of equal return, the rate would have to be at least 11 per cent.

Such a situation, Mr. Wadsworth explained, caused the securities of a small and remote district issuing taxexempt bonds to be on a parity with Securities offered by the New York, New Haven & Hartford Railroad or BY RADIO PROPOSI any other carrier which might need the money and would use it for a larger public service than the remote district could give. He continued:

The present maximum surtax in conjunction with tax-exempt bonds practically eliminates the man of great income from the normal iteld of business. The Mellon plan would bring his money back into private industry by making the advantages of tax-exempt bonds and ordinary bonds. tax-exempt bonds and ordinary bonds more even. Instead of an 11 per cent private investment being equal to a 4½ per cent tax-exempt, a 6½ per cent private bond would be equal to it, under the Mellon surtax.

Referring to the bill for a constitutional amendment to limit future issues of tax-exempt bonds, now before the House of Representatives, Mr. Wadsworth pointed out that at best this amendment could not be effective for some years, and that, not being retroactive, it would take many years more before financial affairs ceased to be influenced by the tax-exempt bonds already issued. He urged, therefore, the necessity of immediate passage of the Mellon plan, as proposed, to deal with the situation now before the Na-

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lections at semiprofessional and amateur games on Sunday were heard by the legislative Committee on Legal Affairs today.

Samuel W. Mendum, representing the Lord's Day League of New England, opposed the several bills, stating that the collections or subscriptions at semi-professional or subscriptions. Mr. Mellon's Assistant Sees Lack professional or amateur games will open the way for professional games.

CLUB WOMEN HEAR DRY LAW DEBATED

(Continued from Page 1) stitution could never be enforced and

that the remedy for the drink evil was a modification of the Volstead law. a modification of the Volstead law.

A joint legislative committee, he said, composed of representatives of the American Federation of Labor, the Constitutional Liberty League, the Moderation League of New York and the Association Against the Prohibi-tion Amendment, with headquarters in Washington, are now at work on a bill to that end, which they expect to have introduced in Congress soon.

The purpose of the bill, he said, would be to remedy the present situa-tion, get rid of the bootlegger, keep out the saloon and bring about a condition of temperance. According to this bill, none of the liquor which the bill would permit to be sold could be consumed on the premises.

"To a great body of our citizens who had not studied the subject prohibition meant temperance; to those who have studied it it means exactly the opposite," Mr. Codman declared "The saloon as we used to know it was a scandal and a disgrace. The one and only good thing that prohibition has accomplished is the abolition of the open saloon. But it is to be deeply regretted that in order to secure its abolition we have put on our statute books a law which has brought greater evils than it was designed to cure." Mr. Codman con-

tinued:

Those of us who have fought prohibition claim that it has wholly failed to prevent the drinking of alcoholic beverages: that it has failed to reduce crime; that it has increased drunkenness; that it has increased corruption; that it has promoted bootlegging and snuggling to an extent never before known in the history of the world; that it has spread illicit distilling over this country until no part is free from taint.

"Personal Liberty" Plea "Personal Liberty" Plea
The law has not been a success.
Now, why is this so? In the first
place it is an attempt to make one
law for many widely separated communities. What might satisfy the
people of the wide prairies of Nebraska is utterly repugnant to the
more densely populated State of New
York with its heterogenous and polyglot population.

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The law is unpopular because it infringes on personal liberty in a peculiarly offensive manner. It insists that A, who has never offended, shall so regulate his life that B, who has offended, shall be able to do so no more. It has created an army of spies, and the citizens feel that their homes are in jeopardy of violent search and their goods of seizure. It is believed by many working peois believed by many working peo-ple to be intended as class legisla-tion.

PARENTS OFFICIATE AT STAR'S INITIATION

Miss Louise D. Brayton, one of 14 candidates initiated by the officers of Roslindale Chapter, No. 104, Order of the Eastern Star, last evening, had the unusual distinction of being obligated by her father, Warren H. Brayton, who is a past patron of that chapter and further assisted through the degrees by her mother, Mrs. Hattie E. Brayton, ho is a past matron of that chapter It was the first initiatory work per formed by the newly installed officers and Norman S. Ramsay, the new and Norman S. Ramsay, the new Worthy Patron, gave way to Mr. Bray-ton in order that the latter might obli-gate his daughter, along with the other candidates. Mrs. Brayton acted as

Chaplain.

The feature was "an act not on the program" and was followed by the presentation to each one of the 14 candidates, by Mr. and Mrs. Brayton, of an Eastern Star pin, in honor of the

PROVIDENCE, R. I., Feb. 7 (Special)—A proposal to make radio receiving stations in parks take the place of ing stations in parks take the place of band concerts has been advanced by Alderman James E. Dunne. Alderman Dunne, who also is chairman of the Democratic State Central Committee for Rhode Island, sent a resolution to the Board of Aldermen today, contain-

the Board of Aldermen today, containing the proposal.

While it is possible to hold band concerts weekly in parks during the summer, Mr. Dunne believes it would be practical to attempt radio concerts to be continual in the parks, thereby afferding more entertainment for park frequenters. He has asked in the resolution that the committee on parks investigate the project and report to the board.

DR, NEARING AT FORD HALL Dr. Scott Nearing, one-time in-structor in economics at the Univer-sity of Pennsylvania, will be the speaker at the Ford Hall Forum next Sunday evening. He will speak on the topic "Is Life Worth Living?" Dr. Nearing now is a lecturer in economics and sociology at the Rand School of Social Science, New York City.

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WEALTH DRAFT PLAN HEARING ARRANGED

Strong Delegation Will Seek Legislative Indorsement of Proposed Amendment

So lengthy was the discussion of the resolution, That the Legislature of Massachusetts memoralize the Congress that the United States enter forthwith the Permanent Court of International Justice, at the public hear-ing in the State House yesterday, that consideration of the other resolution before the committee, providing for an amendment to the Federal Constitution making it a rule of action in the event of war that the Nation draft wealth as well as men, was deferred until tomorrow morning It will come the same committee, that on

Several of the men who spoke in favor of immediate entry by the United States into the World Court declared themselves as supporters of the plan for conscription of wealth as well as men in the event of war and they announced their intention to be at the hearing tomorrow.

Mr. Gordon to Conduct

John Calder Gordon, executive director of the Massachusetts Federa-tion of Patriotic Societies and Good Government Clubs, who presented both resolutions before the commit-tee drafting that providing for the conscription of "the property the conscription of "the property a means of training our men in han-equally with the persons, lives and iliberties of all citizens" in the event flight." of war, is today preparing for the conduct of the hearing tomorrow morning in Room 443 at 10:30 o'clock on the universal conscription resolve.

years' experience in the polar regions having been within 100 miles of the North Pole, and, therefore, is an

the entry into the World Court, was read and made a great impression.

Judge Clarke is the president of the League of Nations Nonpartisan Asso-Several other letters will be read at the hearing by Mr. Gordon, among them being words of indorse-Gordon. ment from Harvey N. Shepard, Mrs. Arthur G. Rotch, president of the Massachusetts League for Women Voters, and others.

Attorney A. Barr Comstock presented a statement signed by Boston and eastern Massachusetts at- to carry the American flag into this torneys indorsing the proposed entry by the United States into the Perma nent Court of International Justice.

Professor Hudson's Speech Presented as an authority of distinction on international law, Prof. Manley O. Hudson of Harvard, speaking to the proposed participation by United States in the jurisdiction of the

World Court, said, in part:

United States in the jurisdiction of the World Court, said, in part:

If the United States is not to secede from the organized world, we must take the action proposed by President Harding, President Coolidge and Secretary Hughes with reference to the International Court. No other court is a possibility. Forty-seven nations have joined in creating this one, and the future must build on the present foundation.

The talk about divorcing the International Court from the League of Nations is futile. It is usually based on ignorance of the precise connection. Whenever people understand the connection. I have found them overwhelmingly in favor of going ahead. The United States cannot build an international court by herself, and we cannot co-operate with the other nations of the world in complete indifference to the effort which 54 other peonles are making to organize the world's peace.

MT. HOLYOKE GIRLS **FAVOR PEACE PLAN**

SOUTH HADLEY, Mass., Feb. 7 (Special)-Mt. Holyoke College students have indorsed the Bok peace plan by a vote of 666 to 63, according to an nn Eastern Star pin, in honor of the usion.

PEN AIR CONCERTS
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A vote of 565 to 53, according to an announcement made today. The vote was, taken yesterday following a mass meeting at which Dr. Irving Fisher, professor of political economy of Yale University, upheld the plan, and Norman Thomas, formerly editor of the New York Leader, spoke against it.

MAINE EDUCATION COSTS \$817 A PUPIL

AUGUSTA, Me., Feb. 7 (Special)-Public school education in Maine is costing \$81% a pupil, according to tabulation made by the State educational department. "This is not an ex-

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orbitant cost," says Augustus O. Thomas, state superintendent. "This means the State's investment in the youth. The amount spent for any one item is relatively large or small, according to the basis of comparison. If all of the citizens of the State paid an equal amount for public situation, the per capita cost would be 2½ cents a day. This would not seem to be a large amount of money for such an important work as public education. The per capita cost of education. The per capita cost of education in the United States, based on population, is three cents a day."

FLIGHTS PLANNED BY OTHER NATIONS

Shenandoah's Trip Is Urged by Lieut.-Com. Bartlett

"If the United States abandons the purposed trip of the U. S. S. Shenandoah to the polar regions this summer it will only give some other nation an opportunity to be the first to accomplish this feat," declared Lieut.-Com. Robert A. Bartlett of the United States Naval Reserve Corps, today, who is in Boston to speak at the City Club this evening.

Speaking of the plans for the flight he said that every precaution has been taken for the success of the expedition and he outlined the preparations being and he outlined the preparations being made, which will practically insure the safety of crew and ship. "This is not a 'publicity stunt,' nor is it an attempt to discover the North Pole." said Commander Bartlett, "but it is scientific exposition of exploration and

Commander Bartlett has had many A letter written to Mr. Gordon by John H. Clarke, formerly a Justice of the United States Supreme Court, in which he favored early and decisive action by the United States, leading to the entry into the West Court of the entry into the West Court of the Court of the entry into the West Court of the entry into the with its base, and never more than 1000 miles from a mooring mast. Indeed, he adds, the entire unexplored region can be covered in 40 or 50

region can be covered in 40 or 50 hours of flying.

"America is beginning to realize that the success of the Navy lies in the air," said Commander Bartlett. When we consider that birds fly to within 400 miles of the Pole to lay their eggs, and that in the Shenandoah we have a craft which has been pre-tried and proven, there seems no rea-125 son why our Navy shouldn't be first new territory.

NEW HAMPSHIRE DEBT REDUCED TO \$182,000

CONCORD, N. H., Feb. 7 (Special)-Geoarge E. Farrand, State Treasurer, in his annual report, shows the New duced last year to \$182,000, the lowest figure since before the Civil War. ations are that the State will be clear Receipts last year were \$7,215,000 and

disbursements were \$6,886,000 and the difference was applied on the reduction of the debt from \$945,000, to which low figure it was reduced during the pre-

ngure it was reduced during the previous year.

No bonds have been issued and several public works have been paid for out of current income, including the memorial interstate bridge at Portsmouth and normal school buildings at Plymouth. The State taxes were also materially reduced last year.

ENGINEERS TO REEL

Members of the Boston section of the
American Society of Mechanical Engineers will meet at 7:30 o'clock this
evening at the Engineers Club, 2 Commonwealth Avenue, where M. H. Roberts, vice-president of the Franklin
Railway Supply Company, Inc., will
present a six-reel motion picture on
"The Past and Future Development of present a six-reel motion picture on "The Past and Future Development of the Steam Locomotive Engine." After the showing of the film, Prof. Harvey N. Davis of Harvard University will

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to see that no undue coercibn. whether through fear of disease, fear of ridicule, or through any fear whatever, be brought to bear on these children or their parents.

Experiments to determine the effects

of the frozen toxin-anti toxin on ani-mals are being carried on at the state laboratory at Forest Hills, it was an-Twenty-five more children were added to the list of Schick serum victims yesterday, with the discovery of a situation in Bridgewater, Mass., similar to that in Concord Academy. One case each in Boston and Holyoke

were reported.

Medical men were given a complete surprise when they discovered that freezing of the serum releases the dangerous poison it contains, as they had supposed that low temperatures were heat for it. Results have them. best for it. Results have shown them

Bu a Staff Correspondent

SAN FRANCISCO, Calif., Feb. 7-

o close the schools against those

who refuse to submit to diphtheria

In San Francisco more than 25 stu-

dents are so excluded on the pretext that they are dangerous "contact"

cases, although physical evidence of

diphtheria is lacking. What has especially stirred opponents of school-

child experimentation is the action of

which provided that "Suspected diph-theria contacts who refuse to be cul-

tured may be excluded from school and isolated for a period of not longer than 14 days." This clause appears in Rule 12, Bulletin No. 5, issued by the board in December, 1921.

Question of Arbiters

to be sole arbiters of who shall go to

school? The question is pertinent. Heretofore opponents of compulsory medication found refuge in this medi-

cal admission that 14 days' isolation

suffices to exclude all danger of con-tagion from "carriers." By its changed

leave the time limits of enforced ab-

sence from school to the determina-tion and discretion of school doctor

But the Public School Protective

League and other agencies will not have it so since this shift is plainly

intended to give health authorities power to smoke out those resisting. Nor is San Francisco alone in this affair. A case in Glendale, Los Angeles County, similar to some of those

in San Francisco, yesterday evoked an opinion from Ulysses S. Webb, Attorney-General of the State to Will C.

Wood, State Superintendent of Public Instruction. Capital is being made of

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Are the doctors and school nurses

The question now arises:

ording to Dr. Leo O'Connell of the State Board of Health, and Dr. Milton I. Rosenau of the Harvard Medical School, who went to Bridgewater to The Shick treatment was adminis-

Increased School Medical Domination

tered to these children by Dr. Arthur N. Carr at the direction of the school board. The serum was received by Dr. Albert Hunt of the board. His in-

in Bridgewater who are suffering from the results of inoculation will have to

be confined to their beds for a month,

Bridgewater. With him came Dr. W. T. Harrison of the Public Health Service at Washington and Dr. Wil-liam H. Parks of the New York City

Opponents of medical domination in the public schools of San Francisco are aroused to resist what is said to be an attempt of health authorities refused the "regular" examination of actions.

Case at Glendale

Mr. Webb concedes the right of the Glendale school authorities to enforce their rules that pupils absent five days from school for any illness must obtain a permit from the school nurse or from other designated person before readmission will be permitted, all the State Board of Health which, on Feb. 2, by a majority vote of one, eliminated a safety clause in its rules, subject, however, to certain limitations. He adds, however:

But the effect of these limitations But the effect of these limitations, so far as the present question is concerned, is that the prevision for physical examination of pupils provided for in Section 1618a of the political code, shall not be generally applicable, in the absence of cause for the belief that the child may be afficted with a contagious disease, to those children whose parents or guardian file a written notice referred to in the said section stating that they will not consent to such physical examination. to such physical examination. This excepts such children

This excepts such children from such physical examination in the car-rying out of the main purpose of Sec-tion 1618a. In other words, a parent or guardian can insist that his child or ward shall not be subjected to or ward shall not be aubjected to physical examinations. He cannot, however, in asserting such a right deprive school authorities of their undoubted power to protect all children under their control from having communicated to them a disease, in a case where acting in good faith the school authorities are of the opinion that some child may be afflicted with such contagious or infectious disease. such contagious or infectious disease, and acting in such good faith they de-

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termine that they will have the child face the problem of determining exact thermal effects.

The 25 pupils of the McElwain School particular case

Right to Select Examiner

Sincere opponents of compulsory examinations have no quarrel with this statement, but they reserve the right to select examiners. The points should be noted: "By designated person and competent person I do not mean necessarily a medical prac-titioner." Mr. Webb told a representative of The Christian Science Monitor "Competency in the sense I use it is not limited to a particular school of structions were to keep it in a cold place, which he did, with the result that it froze.

medicine, but relates to the ability of anyone to determine general right conditions of environment, cleanliness.

by the serum, while showing improvement today, will not be permitted to leave their beds for a few weeks, said Dr. Charles W. Hutchinson, who administered the toxin-antitoxin.

Dr. Bela Schick, the Austrian physician, who developed the immunizing process of that name, came from Washington and visited Concord and Bridgewater. With him came Dr. W. complainant families presented by the protesting Public School Protective League to the State Board of Health is no child suffering with a contagious disease of any kind.

"Contact" Case Alleged

Everyone is merely an alleged "contact" case, "requiring isolation," says Dr. William C. Hassler of the State Is Strongly Opposed by Californians Board of Health. Yet in one particularly notorious case in San Francisco a little girl of seven thus "isolated" this opinion by medical proponents who purport to show that physical exam'nation of school children is "upheid."

The case involves a child in Glendrel staff at Grattan Grade School, dale forcibly isolated from school since but readmission has been refused de-November because the parents have spite four tests showing negative respite four tests showing negative re-

This case is notorious because it is said to illustrate a tendency on the part of the school health authorities to ignore even medical tests not taken by themselves personally and to insist upon the right to come into the home and take a throat culture of each mem-

Opponents do not oppose "reasonable isolation in good faith," to quote Mr. Webb. They are resisting strenuously the pretentious dictatorship of a certain school of medicine, the activities of which, in several instances, has amounted to deliberate discrimination in homes where radical disagreement with medical views prevail.

FAIRS PRESIDENT CHOSEN

PORTLAND, Me., Feb. 7—Dr. R. N. Randall of Lewiston was elected president at the annual meeting yesterday of the Maine Association of Agricultural Fairs, attended by about 75 representatives of the fairs of the State. Dr. P. R. Baird of Waterville was chosen vice-president. Isiah. B. Morrill Processick. president, Isiah R. Morrill. Brunswick, secretary, and George H. Plummer, Skowhegan, treasurer. Representatives of a number of show organizations were present.



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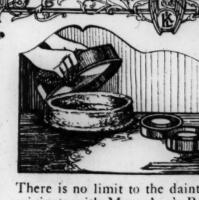
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Open Week's Activities Bos

sinaing temorrow evening will share in a nation-wide celebration of the courteenth anniversary of the Boy Scout movement. For the first time William J. Kaula's Water Colora in a scout gathering of this kind, radio

sets will be in use so that the call from WGI will be heard.

The ceremony in Boston will open a week of special Boy Scout activities.

The First Corps of Cadets Armory in Columbus Avenue will be the acene of a get-together Saturday evening. A preliminary reunion is to be held Saturday noon at the Boston City Club, where 25 boys who received honors for unusual attainment in "camp spirit, efficiency in scoutcraft, and physical development" at the Boston Council summer camp at Loon Lake, Middle-horo, last year, will meet under the guidance of Donald North, scout executive for Boston, and Donald Waugh, chief of the "Knights of Loon Lake." to discuss plans for the 1924 summer outing.

The anniversary meeting Saturday night will inaugurate a drive for membership which, it is hoped, will-culminate in a roster of 3000 scouts in Boston. Speakers will include William L. Putnam, president of the First District Council and vice-presifirst District Council and vice-presi-dent of the All-Boston Council, who will present pennants to 33 "full troops" which, during the past six months, have attained maximum mem-bership: George Owen Jr., the former Harvard athlete and present member of the Boston Hockey Club, who is

Provide with District Executive Hans v. Kudlich serving as floor marshalt. On Sunday all scouts will attend church in uniform. Meetings are planned for next week at slocal high schools as part of the civic co-operation which is going on between the local Boy Scout movement and the Boston Fire Department. An Eagle Badge, the highest award attainable in the organization, will be prepared Monday night to Scout Walter Thormer of Troop 11, Dorchester.

Sout movement. For the first time in a scout gathering of this kind; radio will play a leading part. At \$:15, 515, 515 tion WGI will broadcast the Boy Scout oath and law. At the same moment, all over Boston, every scout and scout official, wherever located or however occupied, will come to salute and will recognit himself to the ideals of the movement as embodied in this oath and this law. On the recreational field of Boston Common approximately 100 Scouts, representing the First Boston District, will assemble under the leadership of Edward S. Roche, district executive, and repeat the oath and law. The text of the South oath follows:

"On my honor, I will do my best to do my duty to God and my country, and to obey the Scout, laws; to help other people at all times; to keep myself physically, straight."

In the other three districts into which Greater Boston is divided for scout administration, it has been planned to have most of the seouts in attendance at their regular troop meetings, where in many cases radio sets will be in use so that the call from WGI will be heard.

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NATIONAL CAR WHEEL CO. bership: George Owen Jr., the former Harvard athlete and present member of the Boston Hockey Club, who is also assistant scoutmaster of Troop 12, Brookline, and Frederic S. Snyder. Patriotism will be the keynote of the gathering, over which Mr. North will



British Broadcasting Company's Aims

DONDON, Jan. 21—On an average as British Broadcasting Company ets 2000 letters a day at its London mices, and a similar number at its Special from Monitor Bureau LONDON, Jan. 21—On an average the British Broadcasting Company gets 2000 letters a day at its London offices, and a similar number at its various offices in the country, said J. C. W. Reith, managing director of the company, in a talk to the Rotarians of London at one of their weekly luncheons. When it was first formed toward the end of 1922, the staff of the B. B. C. (as it is generally called) consisted of three men; now it has a large and constantly growing. that a large and constantly growing other things he had noticed was that staff in London, as well as a considerable number of employees in the provincial branches. The growth of educational authorities were first its audiences is even more remarks

provincial branches. The growth of its audiences is even more remarkable: the program broadcast on New Year's Eve, 1922, was heard by some 20,000 people; that on New Year's Eve, 1923, by between 2,000,000 and 3,000,000.

Mr. Reith said he had no doubt that if The B. B. C. had merely been after popularity it could have achieved it from the outset by catering down to the lowest level of popular taste. This it had always refused to do, and had, therefore, for a time been the butt of much hostile criticism. But the B. B. C. was a monopoly, and conceived that its duty lay not only in giving entertainment, but in edifying and educating. Its aim had been to previde a program which bould be listened to by everyone, children included, and not raise a blush. Only those who had to arrange an entertainment in these days could know how difficult a task they

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breeches and gaiters, and the ladies
all look "knowing" on the subject of
dogs and affect soft felt hats and
rough tweed coats and skirts.
At the Kennel Club Show, one hears
a single bark now and then. At the
Terrier show, it is one continuous yelp
from about 1500 dogs. That the various terriers hold a big place in the
British heart is testified by the crowds
of visitors to the show. It is difficult
to get neag the various judging rings,

to get neas the various judging rings, where anxious exhibitors make strenuous endeavors to induce their exhibits to look their best. Here is one trying hard to make his Airedale's tail stand up at the correct angle, there a lady brushes out her Sealytail stand up at the counter Sealythere a lady brushes out her Sealyham's whiskers, unashamed of the littile puffs of white powder with which
he has been made to look yet whiter.
Here and there in the midst of the
crowd and hubbub can be seen a lady
artist busily engaged in painting someone's favorite, oblivious of the jostling
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one's favorite, oblivious of the jostling throngs around her.

The total entries this year numbered 2363, this large figure being arrived at by the fact that many dogs were entered for several classes. The fox terriers, rough and smooth, provided the largest entries, 521 between them, and Sealyhams came next, with 326. The smallest class was the colored bull terriers, only about half-adozen being shown. Other classes dozen being shown. Other classes were Airedales, Scottish, Irish Cairns, West Highlands, the popular Kerry white bull-terriers, Border, Bedlingtons, Dandie Dinmonts, and Skye terriers. The

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untary Disarmament Union, is to go before the church organizations. Dr. Root has made it possible for us to reach the Massachusetts Federation of Churches, and through him we are making appeal to the Federal Coun-

cil."

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Theodore G. Risley Defends the Quota System

SPRINGFIELD, Mass., Feb. 7 (Special) - Discussing proposed changes in the immigration law, before the Assolated Industries of Massachusetts in clated Industries of Massachusetts in
the Naysaset Club last night. Theodore G. Risley, solicitor of the United
States Department of Labor, declared
that the quota system in some form
was sound and desirable, but said that
much improvement was possible
through amending the law, particufarly in examining persons before they
sail for this country, avoiding the
hardship attendant upon enforced returns in many instances.

Mr. Risley condemned the wholesale
importation of cheap foreign labor.
He said:

He said:

Every great nation that has come to ruin has met its fate through an influx of foreign hirelings. A national labor shortage, when acute, finds a solution through new inventions and other devices for the improvement of industry! That is the right remedy for this country to pursue, rather than continued dependence upon allen labor.

laber.

If we are to have a synchronized and democrafized people we must change our policy. The time is coming when we shall depend almost entirely on our own labor resources, skilled and unskilled, in the conduct of our industries, and the advancement of science and improvement of machinery are hastening that time.

The speaker stressed the point that the safety of democracy depends on the intelligence, enlightenment and happiness of the working classes.

court has ruled in a rescript received here today that operating an automobile while under the influence of in-

bile while under the influence of in-toxicating liquor is a felony, and that, therefore, municipal, police and trial justice courts cannot take jurisdiction in such cases except to hold the of-fender for the grand jury.

The rescript states that where the possible maximum punishment provided for criminal offenses is imprisonment for one year, even though a less sen-tence is given, the crime is a felony, and, therefore, a respondent cannot be held on such a charge except on pre-sentment of indictment, by a grand jury.

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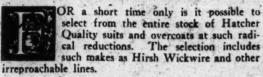
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OVER SALEM HARBOR ISLANDS

Beverly Lays Claim to Ownership as Salem Mayor Files

SALEM, Mass., Feb. 7 (Special)—
An interesting contest for title to the several important islands located off the shores of Salem, Beverly and Marbiehead, may develop in the Legislature as a result of a bill-filed by Mayor George J. Bates which seeks to establish the legal rights of the city of Salem to all islands within its territorial limits.

This action by Mayor Bates follows a recent decision of the land court denying the squatter's claim of William H. Finch of Marblehead, who sought to obtain title to a part of Tinker's Island on the gorunds of having had permanent possession for the past 20 years.

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Possibilities of a controversy developed at the recent meeting of the Beverly Board of Aldermen when that body passed a vote instructing the Beverly representative to the General Court to present a bill which, while legalizing the revenue received in the past by the city of Salem, from taxes assessed on property on Misery Island and Bakers Island, would hereafter vest ownership of the islands in the vest ownership of the falands in the city of Beverly. Beverly officials contend that when

Beverly was set apart from Salem in 1668, the islands were located in the section turned over by Salem. On the other hand. Salem has always maintained jurisdiction over the harbor Tinker's Island and Gooseberry Island have always been listed among the real estate holdings of the city of Salem, and at times rental charges have been exacted and have been paid by leases on these islands.

Property owners on Misery, or Mystery Island, as it was formerly called, and Bakers Island have been taxed for their real estate holdings by the city of Salem and such taxes have been

of Salem and such taxes have been paid to the city.

Some 20 years ago the property owners on Misery Island petitioned the city government of Salem for water service and at a cost of thousands of dollars a water pipe line was laid from the Beverly shore, under the stretch of water separating the island from the mainland. Water was fur-nished the island residents by the city of Salem and at the expense of the city DRIVING WHILE DRUNK

HELD TO BE A FELONY

BANGOR, Me., Feb. 7—The Maine law

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According to an index of records of historical data to be found at the State House in Boston, Salem was established from common lands on Aug. 23, 1630. Under date of Oct. 16, 1660, there is a record of "certain



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head, assistant superintendent of

seat, there still remain congested sec-tions which the completion of several new buildings will relieve when the schools reopen next September. These

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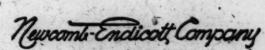
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The problem of education in Central America is slowly becoming the one outstanding issue in the duties and opportunities of the United States there. No one, anywhere, or of any party or political faith, can blink the fact that the success of democracy depends on an educated and intelligent electorate—and after all the political problem of Central America, for her owns. Therefore, education, and as the United States must, perforce, aid in solving the political problems of Central America, for her own safety and progress, she must then help with the educational problem.

At the moment we are handscapped by two definite factors, indifference in the United States and the centralization of such education as there now is jn Central America, in the help with the education as there now which work sp subtly and unceasingly upon our very selves to influence us against the things we most believe in the United States and the centralization of such education is decidedly subtle—and potent. The Church achools are the best to be found

the Roman Catholic Church. The lat-ter element of the situation is decid-edly subtle—and potent. The Church schools are the best to be found in Central America, and for a very practical reason. Until the present day, the only teachers who have been willing to devote themselves to the thankless task of working without pay with the dense ignorance of the masses of Central America have been priests and nuns. Through tyrrany after tyrrany and revolution after revolution, public educational systems have been stifled, starved for lack of support and the teachers (and this is true even today) paid only portions of their poor salaries. Thus the Church schools alone survived, and even to today they have a place which is not recognized by the casual observer but is none the less the most potent because it is the farthest advanced and most successful school system in Central America.

Church education is at its highest development in Nicaragua. Here the Government is conservative, and clerical. The Jesuits who were driven out of Mexico have built on the shores of the Great Lake of Nicthe shores of the Great Lake of Nic-aragua one of the finest colleges in Latin America, and the cities of Nic-aragua all have many church schools of every kind, manual training, trade.

The United States Government canof every kind, manual training, trade, professional and clerical. In one school of the Silesian brothers, the pupils are engaged in decorating elab-orately a new church and making a carved altar—not the most productive trade to learn, but worthy, and, of course, linking the growing youth of the land to the Church which has edu-cated them. Everywhere throughout ing the Church schools, with the idea that in this way more education for the people is gained for the same

Church Education Developed

educational expert from the United States invited by the Nicaraguan Government, made a report on conditions there, about two years ago. He met with some difficulties owing to a misunderstanding of the arrangements, but finally was permitted to guan Government, made a report on ments, but finally was permitted to carry out his work and receive his pay. He did not go deeply into the Church schools evoiding frankly a church schools, avoiding frankly a pitfall which would have caused him some difficulties. His report as a whole was confined to decidedly tenable suggestions for bringing Phillipine and Argentine teachers and inducing American publishers to print textbooks in Spanish which could be is broad education of the masses

The Education of the Upper Classes

The present system in Nicaragua works very logically to certain welldefined ends. The upper classes are all educated, now, in the Church schools, with the resultant general control of the public thought, but with an interesting sidelight in a general feeling that the masses should be carereeling that the masses should be carefully held from too much education of a sort to "spoil" them. This is, of course, the viewpoint of the Roman Catholic system of education, and it has permeated deeply not only Nicaragua but the other countries as well. Nowhere in Latin America is the view so frankly expressed, and nowhere is it so easily traced to the religious type of training.

Even in the countries where the

Church has little sway over general education, it is almost comical (and would be if it were not so tragic) to hear the view expressed by Roman Catholic-educated politicians that the vote must not be given to the women. for instance, because to do so would be to "put the control of the feminine vote in the hands of the priests"! Which attitude is, one may guess, a matter of satisfaction to those elements who do not want feminine growth out of that very control by the priesthood. The whole thing is re-flected again in the desire to keep the lower classes from education other than religious and manual, and the restriction of the vote, because obvi-ously the vote, destructive though its ession might be in its first years possession might be in its first years inevitably will bring some form o growth in individual and mass thought I have said more times than a few in these articles, that Central America is epitomic of the problems of the

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give, through education, to the great give, through education, to the great cause of Pan-American comity, in these countries. Such big things, and such little ones, too, (if we want to start that way) can be done. Some one could establish a magnificent university here, in beautiful old Antigua, the deserted capital of Guatemala, could there set up colleges, like an English university, in separate units—and house them in the vast old palaces and in the ruined monasteries. units—and house them in the vast old palaces and in the ruined monasteries. And from there spread an influence which men would bless for centuries, throughout these imprisoned peoples. Or, if we cannot do that, so little money would set up model schools, teaching English if you will (and best indeed), in each of the five capitals. Thus for a few thousand dollars a year, could be spread blessings of real education through hundrads of familiary and the spread blessings of real education through hundrads of familiary. year, could be spread blessings of real education through hundreds of families which in turn could become radiating foci for the whole of these tiny nations. And why does the United States not do it? I do not know. I dream of this, and hope and pray for it. And so do honest and hopeful natives, groping under the shadow of century-old tradition and doctrine. For they know, somehow, that the wayout is through light and not through

not yet do such work. Our national funds for education would not train



Miss Settie Mae Jenkins, Who Favors Home Economics for Men, Is Head of Home Economics Department, Mississippi Normal College

The Observatory

cated them. Everywhere throughout the country this is going on, because a large proportion of the public funds for education are devoted to supporting the Church schools, with the idea that in this way more education for the public funds for education are devoted to support the elementary school system will latter obstacle, in these days of high that in this way more education for the probably meet with eventual success. It is a matter in which kindergartners overcome. themselves are so much interested that they are quite prepared, according to announcement just made, to devote to it most of the time of their

textbooks in Spanish which could be sold at prices to compete with Spanish and German publishers. These are important phases of the problem, although the deeper problem of spreading education generally by means other than the Church schools is problem. though the deeper problem of spreading education generally by means other than the Church schools is probably primary to all. For with all its government aid, the Church is not spreading primary education, but is making its very fine showing in secondary, professional and higher schools. And the need of democracy is broad education of the masses. portant of all they learn many of them dren. In the Government and private for the first time, that certain social responsibilities devolve on every last individual. If the kindergarten did nothing more than teach the very young that there is such a thing as group consciousness, it would still rate as an agency of definite educa-tional value. In point of fact it has been proven over and over again that boys and girls who have had the ad-vantage of kindergarten training do much better in their first grade work than those who have not had that

training. Of course, it may well be asked whether this country or any enlight-ened country is ready to accept the kindergarten as a universal institu-tion. Any nation which makes answer in the affirmative immediately commits itself to a whole new set of obliga-tions. On the one hand it agrees to revise its entire elementary grade curriculum and on the other it announces its willingness to receive into its schools many more children and to care for them through more years. With the kindergarten an integral part of the educational system, the present age limits of 5 to 14 or 6 to 16 as the case may be, would become

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made to the schools and colleges of the Orient that many Americans will the Orient that many Americans will be interested in the statement by the Pekin Society for the study of International Education that the chief aim of China's educators now is "to promote true democracy by means of education." The society finds that China has recently made remarkable progress in the direction of opening its schools to the great mass of children. In the Government and private schools there are nearly 6,000,000 pupils, while the Christian missionary schools enroll 380,000 more. Of the schools there are nearly 6,000,000 pupils, while the Christian missionary schools enroll 360,000 more. Of the 15,000 students in universities, more ter help their country to govern itself efficiently. Many of this latter group will later come to America for advanced study.

Attention is also called by the so-clety to the noteworthy change that has come about in the attitude of the Chinese people toward education for women and girls. Today there are 164,719 girls in 3363 elementary schools and 1138 in 10 middle schools belonging to the Government and in addition 60,318 girls in the large number of Christian mission schools. addition 50,318 girls in the large number of Christian mission schools. There are 61 normal schools and a teachers' college, and 21 vocational schools. The number of universities where women may study and obtain their degrees is rapidly growing.

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sewing are the courses that represent the entire field of home activity; con-sequently, one sees immediately a man treading a sewing machine or else dodging around in a kitchen, ludicrously attired in a cap and apron,

and it seems a bit queer.

How are we going to answer the question of a man doing a woman's work? How long will we interpret work incorrectly? Why one kind of work for a man and another kind for woman? All work should be a true expression of right activity as univer-sal as honesty and truthfulness, to be used freely by man and woman ac-cording to their particular needs.

Industrial and Commercial

The food and clothing problem of dustrial and commercial one. There do not appear to be many schools recognizing this fact. These phases of industry are handled by men almost exclusively, so why not train the man properly for the very work that his native ability fits him to do? If So great has always been the con- he desires to be a steamship steward, tribution which the United States has a cook in a café, a waiter in a hote!, cook or business manager of a hotel or a café, or keep bachelor quarters,

vinced that men need training; there is great lack of efficiency, both in ar-rangement for convenience, and artistic beauty, as well as gross over-

sight to the fundamentals.

If home economics for men be put into the schools, I believe the standard of living will be increased 100 per cent. The majority of the heads of schools are men; it is they who employ janitors, matrons, siewards, and stewardesses. There is a great deal lacking in supervision; in other words there is too much "super" and not enough "vision." Because the average man appar-

ently is unaware of the value of home economics in both the schools and in the home, he should, himself, be trained in it. Men do not need to have much tech-

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was especially pleased to notice how eagerly the men grasped any fea-ture of this work that tended to the development of their æsthetic faculties. This attempt has convinced me more than ever of the calling forth, through the artistic side, the very finest and best that might otherwise lie dormant. Knowledge is essential; information precede inspiration

Men live in houses and eat three meals a day, then why should they not be concerned about food selec-tion? Although it is true that women are the natural persons to whom the care of the children and the management of the home are delegated, things do not always in this illogical world pan out as we expect them or as we plan them, and the man not intre-quently finds himself left with the woman's share of the home duties. This may be brought about for in-stance by her unavoidable absence from home, leaving the husband at mercy of his own ingenuity. The problem is even greater when the man has not only himself to consider. also helpless children. To be dietitian, nurse, cook and household manager taxes to the utmost the trained workman.

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Some educators question this policy of putting home economics training for men and boys into the curriculum: especially do superintendents and principals object to it. We realize that at the present time the only way ever to get it into the course of study is for the men students to ask for it.

Superintendents and principals do not realize the importance of the nutrition program in education. This is evidenced by the fact that 90 per cent of the boarding schools of the country where thousands of students are fed for at least nine months of the year, are helpless victims of malthe world has largely become an in- nutrition. Because a woman claims to be a "good manager" and can prove her economic assertions by a cheap "bil! of fare," it does not follow that

o do? If If our school men in authority had steward, only a half a dozen lessons in food

When the school superintendent is properly trained, he will no longer claim that boarding students will spend money for cakes, candies, and drinks between meals, and will continue to do so regardless of the kind and quantity of food given them at meal time. He will, on the other hand, find that this needless expense and harmful practice will cease.

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Harvard, Dr. Reaton of Adelaide, and mics, und nominate each advision to the curricula and teaching. The formal papers which were presented, raised, in each case, a variety of topics, but it was significent that general comment tended to be focused upon a particular nucleus subjects interest in the school and home programs. the content of an honors course in economics, opinion was sharply di-vided on the wisdom or otherwise of

continuing the honors course. As to Bifurcation

On the one hand, it was maintained that the bifurcation between the pass and the honors degree was artificial and unnecessary, because there is often a serious overlapping of quality between the better pass men and the weaker honors men. On the other hand, it was contended that there is always a wide distribution of abilities always a wide distribution of abilities among students, and that there must be some machinery, more adequate than the mere pass with distinction, by which the more capable student can secure a hall-mark which is a real stamp of his quality. The majority seemed to favor such a view, and, indeed, if there is to be any criticism of the accepted honors standards, it should call for the more careful administration and award of honors degrees rather than for their elimination

The consideration of the degree in commerce was introduced by Professor Dewsnup, who quoted, with approval, Sir William Ashley's definition of university studies in commerce as "the humanistic spirit applied to utilitarian pursuits." Professor Dew-snup based his contribution upon the curriculum which, as the result of his

experience in England and America. he has introduced at Liverpool. Sir William Beveridge spoke of lectures, classes and seminars in relation to the teaching of economics, and with

theory by the experiences with my Practice House Keeping classes.
Without saying a word about eating between meals until the end of the course, I checked over very carefully the students' personal budgets. I found no charges for ice cream, candy, cakes, and drinks. When questioning each student as to why I found no such items listed in her personal ex-pense account, the same answer came from each girl of every class: "I was

not hungry so I did not need to spend my money for such articles." I carried this experiment further and found that this same group of girls, when not having a balanced ra-tion, were frequent visitors to the well-known "little store."

As to content of courses for men and method of presentation of work, it is my opinion that they should differ only a half a dozen lessons in food considerably from the courses given preparation, there would be a clearing to women. More in detail are the small problems for women, while broad general foots.

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after the age of 24, and that it was far better to begin at 14 or 16. He pointed out that Adam Smith, John Stuart Mill, and Stanley Jevons began stuart Mill, and Stanley Jevons began the study of political economy at an early age, and that it was not until the coming of the university extension movement that economics came to be regarded as something for grown-ups and not for schoolboys. It is true, of course, that Professor Cannan seeks to teach, in this way, only the merest rudiments of the subject, but the issue is a difficult one. Even though the treatment might be so simple as to preclude the possibility of partiality or bias, there will always be objection raised to the teaching of econo to young and receptive minds long as economic problems thickly underlie contemporary political struggles. There is a growing body of opinion in favor of the more general teaching of economic geog-raphy and economic history in the schools. Not only are these subjects of vital importance in themselves, but they form an excellent method of they form an excellent method of approach to the later study of economics. That the elements of economic science can be grapsed well after the age of 24, a small army of tutors, who labor for the Workers Educational Association and similar bodies, can testify. There is often failure, it is true, but it must not always he set down to the shortcom-

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chicken knew all about x and y and also s.

He stood at the top of his class aimost as often as he wisbed, and all the teachers liked him because he was no trouble at all. You would have thought that, as all these things were so, the Chicken, who was referred to in school reports as Master Austin, would have been happy and carefree as Mr. Spencer and the Snow-Baby, who broke down midway in reciting Tennyson, and as a result had to come back Saturday to study. But the Chicken had a strange and especial motive. This was no more or less than to get a letter, the large white "R" on a blue jersey, or the large blue "R" on a white jersey, or any kind of a letter, any way, any how. He started out for the school tennis team, and he got as far as the second round, when Mr. Duckie Swan mopped up the dirt court with him to the discouraging score of six-love, six-love. couraging score of six-love.

That was the end of tennis. The next thing on the list was football; the Chicken promptly started out as tackle for the third team, and ended

tackle for the third team, and ended up furnishing opposition to the lowest scrubs of all, the primary.

Presently track sports began and the Chicken distinguished himself by running a dead heat for last place with Master Sproutt, who was the fattest boy in the school, and waddled, as Mr. Spencer said, rather like a duck on a wet day. Both he and Master Sproutt ran and ran and ran, but they never ran anything but dead they never ran anything but dead heats, and the dead heats were always Master Sproutt gave for last place. it up, and took to collecting postal cards, but the Chicken kept on through basketball and hockey into

Baseball practice began on a bright blue day. All the world was fair to look upon and the Chicken was at bat. He swung wide and high and often, and he struck out six times in an afternoon. How it happened no one could say, but the balk, the bat and the Chicken were never all at the same place at the same time. Grounders hopped over him when he was falling and a bat liner invariant. was fielding, and a hot liner invari-ably knocked him down.

Disgustedly he confronted Mr.

Tooth-Paste Spencer, who was wist-Tooth-Paste Spencer, who was wistfully fishing both his socks out of the shower bath. The socks had been plaid before they were wet, and they were the pride of Mr. Spencer's life. He had swapped a goldfish and two tadpoles for them, and he felt badly. But not as badly as the Chicken.

"Tooth-Paste." said he. "I'll never get a letter."
"Red and black with purple stripes." said Mr. Spencer, "and now look at 'em."

'They won't have me on any team!" "P'raps," said Mr. Spencer, still bending his gaze on the socks, "they'll be more int'resting all run together this way. Wonder what they'll look like. Snow-Baby, are you going to squat on that radiator all day?" 'Quess I'm too small." said the

"Now it'll take 'em an hour to dry,"
observed Mr. Spencer over his shoulder. "Why don't you go out for crew,
Chicken?"

ARY and Clara were cousins.
They lived across the street from each other, and played to-

What's the use? "Never can tell," said Mr. Spencer

and disappeared.

The Chicken thought and thought, and finally he put down his name on the crew list. Above it in fierce scrawls were the signatures of the two Donalds—Donald Gordon and Donald Merriam. They would be cox-swains of the first and second crews. respectively, and coxswain was all that the Chicken was eminently fitted for. Still Mr. Tooth-Paste Spencer

was noted for having good ideas.

The spring dragged on, and the shells slid out on the river, and the Chicken had the pleasure of seeing the two Donalds bawling at their oars-men. He hung about the crew quarters, he conversed weightly with the coach, he begged rides in the official launch. In between he did his lessons and stood at the top of the class, to the despair of the two Donalds, who were entirely at sea in any one of Cicero's speeches, and had scanty ideas

about English literature.

Presently the day of report cards came along, but it was nearly forgotten fin the excited anticipation of the first real race of the Brown School. Mr. Tooth-Paste Spencer was already as least the state of the lilac bush."

No," said Mary decidedly, "it's and lonesome in there. I'm going to build him a house out of a strawberry box, and put it under the wide world. Trust crew of the Brown School. Mr. strawberry box, and put it under the Tooth-Paste Spencer was already selling seats upon an ancient rowboat that he owned, and Bobby Ward, who would row at No. 2, told Mr. Putnam that Clara said soberly.
"Of course, he can't—he won't have to live in two houses, if we only Charlemagne was a Scotchman and

Charlemagne was a Scotchman and hid in a cave.

To the Chicken came Master Sproutt, churning down the aisle, report cards in band, and puffing with excitement.

"Hey! Hey Hey!" said Master Sproutt, spilling reports right and left. "You're first again!"

"Aw! G'way!" observed the Chicken.

"That's nothing!"

"Lissun! Lissun!" hissed Master

So Mary put the turtle down in the middle of the lilac bush."

"I tell you what we can do," Mary we want it, and then we can let the turtle choose. I'll put him down here in the flower bed."

So Mary put the turtle down in the middle of the lilac bush."

"So Mary put the turtle down in the flower bed."

"That's nothing!"
"Lissun! Lissun!" hissed Master
Sproutt. "The Donalds are out They
can't row in the race. They stood last
and next to last! They didn't know
anything about old Cicero!"

Mr. Sweetser, who was athletic coach in general and in particular, mounted the platform at the end of the room. "Master Austin will report at once for crew practice!"

Mr. Tooth-Paste Spencer, Master Bobby Ward, the Snow-Baby, the Honorable Douglas Eustace Arms, known as the Spotty Leopard, and the rowboat backed water in the stern of a steam launch and looked around. In front of them was a launch, in back of them was another launch. To the right was a tug, to the left was an

"Can't see anything!" said Bobby.

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The female, however, is just a spidery-looking insect, has no wings

of any kind, and spends her time run-

Whenever the nights are frosty, and

the air is laden with moisture, you should watch for some of the wonder-

ful effects of hoar frost. One tiny

crystal forms again and again on the top of the one beneath it, until every leaf-edge bristles with myriad fairy

ioicles, sometimes as much as half an inch in length. Each one is made

up of countless frozen mist-drops, and

blossoms, but their beauty and fragrance do not last for long; and, be-fore even a single leaf has unfurled.

they will all have withered away

familiar to everyone through all the

summer months, but the flowers come

so early in the year that they are

seldom seen, except by those who brave the wet and the mud of the wintry countryside

Magic Sentences

In each of the following sentences is the name of a part of the head, the letters spelling it being in their cor-

1. If a certain letter comes today,

2. I like Arthur Thompson. He is

7. I saw yesterday at the Art Gal-

Whenever I think of Omaha 1

lery a picture which I neve? saw be-

rect order

I shall be happy

better than spring.

a letter to Harry.

into their new store soon.

recall my visit to my uncle.

manly boy.

(Left)-The Tall Flowers of the Common Butterbur, Often Seen When the Snow Is Still Upon the Cround. (Center)-A Little Company of Carden Snails Hibernating on a Flower-Pot. (Right)-Leaves of Bramble, With Hoar Frost Spicules

"Not even if you stand up," said the Spotty Leopard, rocking perilously. "See more if we'd sat on the bridge," served the Snow Baby.

A short little man leaned over the rail of the launch and waved to them. "Come on, boys," he shouted, "come aboard!"

Mr. Tooth-Paste Spencer clambered up and waved his arms. "Gosh! Snow-Baby! Lookit! Quick! Here they come! Here we come! We're a length ahead maybe! Lookit, Bobby! Lookit,

A shell full of blue jerseys shot forward, shot ahead, shot across the finish line with a length and a half to spare. Mr. Spencer climbed the rail. He nearly fell over it. He waved ra'l. He nearly fell over it. He waved and he shouted, and behind him waved and shouted Bobby and the Snow-Baby and the Snotty Leopard. "He's aw ri!" howled Mr. Spencer. "Who's aw ri?" asked Bobby in

high wail. "Chicken! Chicken!" "I'm glad you think so," said the short little man, hastily rescuing Mr. Spencer from going overboard. "He's

Good Advice

Written for The Christian Science Monito What a squawky noise you're making. Naughty Mr. Johnny Jay! Can't you give us something sweeter On this lovely, sunny day? Sounds as if you're scolding someone

And that surely can't be true; o I'd get some singing lessons Pretty soon, if I were you.

gether almost every day in the year. One morning when they were playing

about in the large grounds behind Mary's house, they came upon a turtle. He was walking slowly across

Mary picked him up in her hand:

"He doesn't like to be picked up,"

said Clara. "Let's make him a nice little house, where he can live as

little house, where he can live as quietly as he pleases."

"Yes," said Mary eagerly, "and, when it is all built, let's have a show.

We'll charge 5 cents to every one who wants to see him."

"That will be fun," Clara cried. "I

"But he can't live in two houses."

center of a flower bed, and the two

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at once the turtle drew his head far into his shell.

their winter sleep. When the days grew short and cold in November, they each sought out a cosy hiding place under fallen leaves, or buried themselves under the soft earth in some sheltered corner. All through the winter they have slumbered so soundly that, even if you took them in your hand, they would scarcely awaken; but the daily increasing warmth of the February sun in Eng-land is causing them already to stir, and after dusk on mild-evenings you may see them out on their first excursions of the year.

The skin of the frog is smooth and shiny, but that of the toad is rough and warty. The frog. too, is much more active, takes quite long jumps, while the toad usually only crawls along in lazy fashion. The strange thing about both of them, however. they manage always to find a pond or stream. They left their watery homes even before the heat of last summer, and wandered across the fields and woodlands in search of food. But their eggs always have to be laid in the water, and so, the first thing they do, in the early days of spring, is to seek out some pool or water-way for this purpose, and that is what they are actually doing when you see them crossing the roads and footways after dark

An interesting little flower that

girls each began to build a house with

The Turtle

ROGS and toads are cold-blooded braves the coldest weather, and even animals, being among the earliest blossoms when its leaves are all of wild creatures to awaken from fringed with ice crystals, is the starry flowered chickweed. Its five tiny white petals are so deeply divided down their centers that at first they look like 10, and on every bright morning, even in February, you may see them open out widely in the first rays of the sun. A strange line of Mairs runs down the chickweed's hairs runs down the chickweed's stems, and on these it catches tiny drops of dew and rain, which mingling together, flow down to the root

as rough as the trunk fiself. But the tiny plants called algae, lowly land Butterbur leaves are as large as those relations of the beautiful tasseled of our garden rhubarb, and are

pot which has lain untouched in the garden since the autumn, you are al-most certain to find a little company of snails sleeping snugly beneath it. The garden snail is a sociable little creature at the approach of winter. and seldom goes to sleep alone, but the larger and whiter Roman snail may sometimes be found singly along the borders of woods and copses. It never comes into the garden, but is a common inhabitant of some of the chalky woodsides in the southeast of

The little hedgehog is one of the soundest winter sleepers, but even he is beginning to feel the increasing warmth of the sun, and on any warm day now you may expect to see him creep sleepily from his hiding-place among the dead leaves. Usually he hunts for his food only by night, but at this season his appetite is so keen that he even braves the light of day to satisfy it. You should notice how quickly and wonderfully he curls into bristly ball at the slightest onset of

the greatest interest imaginable.
Clara built her house of twigs, and
she placed it in the precise center of Most moths and butterflies pass the lilac bush, where there was a winter season as an egg or a chrysalis, hidden away somewhere in the chalk of an old tree, or under the sheltercozy little bare circle among the bows. She made a yard about the house and erected a little fence of twigs. Mary's bouse, they came upon a turtle. He was walking slowly across the grass toward a toad's stool.

"O Mary, Mary," cried Clara.

"Look! A turtle!"

Clara left her play and came quickly toward Mary. They were both much pleased, for it wasn't every day that a turtle came into their layeround.

She made a yard about the house and tree, or under the sheltering ledges of gates and palings, but there are just a few which live as perfect insects all the winter through. The beautiful peacock butterfly is one of these winter sleepers, and is got out of the rag bag. One could lift this curtain up and down easily.

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When the two houses were finished, outstanding twig, and opening and the two girls paused.

"Now we'll let him choose," said anxious to draw attention to their exquisite beauty.

how she could bear it if the turtle didn't like her house.

"But where is he?" said Mary. "I can't find him. I left him is said left him.

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Country Life in February

The barks of trees are always full of interest during the winter months, and all kinds of dainty little mosses and lichens may be found growing upon them. The bark of the elm and the oak are rough and crinkled, even the twigs of the elm being sometimes bark of the beech is always smooth, and the patches of green that you see, where the rain trickles down the boles, are really little fairy-gardens of

weeds of the seashore.

If you lift up an old stone or flower

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Castles in Spain

WHEN you have been imagining quite alone and from its summit one a lot of fine things that were can see in every discussions. ever been told that you were building ever been told that you were building as when one is in an aeroplane or castles in Spain?

Spain used to seem far away and mysterious, before there were trains and motor cars and aeroplanes. Perhaps that is why people called day-dreams that is why people called day-dreams the German lessends of the Holy Grail that is why people called day-dreams

bus in 1493, upon his return from the New World. Some Spanish friends met us at the boat and drove us to their home along a handsome boulevard, leading from the column through the center of the city. It is called the Rambla and is lined with beautiful-plane trees. We stopped at a flower market, where there were row's upon rows of lovely flowers for sale at a supprintingly low price. surprisingly low price. Later we re-turned to visit the lace and curio shops, which are always of interest to foreigners. We passed a fine Arch of Triumph and many beautiful buildings. but none that looked like castles in which is a mottled, grayish insect common almost everywhere at this season. The male insect is quite a Spain. Our friends lived in a modern apart-

large moth, with a stretch of nearly two inches across its wings, and with a pair of handsome feathery feelers. nent house, like those in America. Elevators, electric lights, telephones steam heat,—it would have been dis-appointing, if they had not told us they had some relatives who lived in a castle in the suburbs. After tea at the castle, we decided that it must be ing about the palings and tree-boles where her eggs are laid. pleasanter to visit castles than to live less gloomy, but they were gloomy enough at that. While we were in the vast dining room, seated at a long table, the children of the family came in with their school books under their arms. They curtesied, looking at us shyly through their long lashes. Then sparkles like a jewel in the sun.

The largest of all the early flowers of the year is the sweet-scented bu:they filed around the table, kissing everybody on the cheek in Spanish fashion, and left the room without sayterbur, which grows a foot or more in height by streams and riversides. All the early bees seek its honeyed ing a word

One little girl did whisper something to her mother. Perhaps she had seen pictures of American Indians and was disappointed because we were not wearing blankets and feathers. Also, perhaps she thought we were amus-ing because we did not speak Spanish well. Sometimes, you know, people think you are stupid if you do not know their language, and that, if they speak loudly, it will help you under-stand. But in Spain nobody yelled at us, and nobody laughed at our mis-takes. Sometimes, when we were speaking, they would look serious, which may have been because they were trying not to laugh. When they spoke English, it was our turn not to laugh, for they made mistakes that seemed amusing to us. In fact, it was casier for us to speak Spanish with all our mistakes than it was for us to keep from laughing when they made mistakes in English. A man asked me if violets grew savage in America. 1 a manly boy.

3. No season of the year suits meter than spring.

4. Henry Small and Bro. will move not their new store soon.

5. I misplace my desk kew every day.

6. The spring is a manufacture of the same word means both savage and wild. A young lady offered me some conserve, saying that it was "coconut cooked tender in his juice."

8. Revelopm is an ancient city. In the same word that it was the same word that it was to cooked tender in his juice."

Barcelona is an ancient city. As soon as I got the mail I posted tter to Harry.

I saw vesterday at the Art Galshipping and manufacturing cities on the Mediterranean. It is the capital of the Province of Catalonia, which is different from the rest of Spain in cusecall my visit to my upcle.

toms, language, and people. At one
my new suit is too thin for time, Catalonia was a part of Austria. and at another time it belonged to 10. John located the Alhambra in France.

Rising out of the fertile plains of Persia.

The key to the puzzle which apCatalonia is a gigantic, wild moun-

a lot of fine things that were can see in every direction as far as not likely to happen, have you seem to be in the center of a sphere.

that is why people called day-dreams castles in Spain. They thought they were likely never to see them. Now, however, many people from other countries visit Spain and they find real castles there, castles of stone and castles there, castles of stone and brick, with families living in them.

Our boat landed us on the eastern coast of Spain at Barcelona. As we drew near the shore, we saw a tall column of bronze and stone. This marked the place where Ferdinand and Isabella received Christopher Columbus in 1493, upon his return from the Honeysuckle and jasmine made the air fragrant. Altogether it was just the setting for the mystic castle and the garden of Klingsor with its flower maidens. There were streams where we fancied we might meet Lohengrin in his swan boat any moment. So, you see, after all, we did build some castles while in

The Magazine Route

How would you like to have your father buy you a Juvenile Miscellany? No, it is not good to eat and you cannot wear it. I don't think you would even want to read it, though it was meant to be read.

The first magazine for girls and boys was published in Boston, nearly years ago. Mrs. Lydia Maria Child was the editor, and it was called the Juvenile Miscellany. It was writ-cellings, floors, and walls. Bright rugs and tapestries and fires made the rooms you would not think it interesting. you would not think it interesting.

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A Scooter Song

Written for The Christian Science Mor Children, come along with me. All the world goes merrily; Put your games and toys away. Bring your scooters out today. We must hurry up, you know, We've a long, long road to go. One foot up and one foot down. All the way to London Town.

Stop a moment. Lindy-Lou, You have nearly lost a shoe; Steady, Johnnie, not so fast. Now, we're really off at last. Everyone must follow me. Then we'll see the king maybe— See him in his golden crown. When we get to London Town Gwen Castle.



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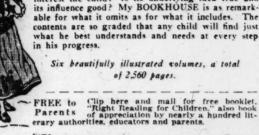
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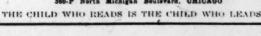
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Special Correspondence

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JEAN RICHEPIN, the post of "Le
Filibustie" and "Le Chemineau,"
wrote with Paul Choudens the beautiful poem to "Le Plus Porte," of which
the Opéra-Comique has just given the
first representation. "Le Chemineau"
was sung with such force and sincerity
by Navier Length that it was natural was sung with such force and sincerity by Xavier Leroux that it was natural that Jean Richepin should entrust his new poem to the same musician Xavier Leroux was an Edmirable composer. He had all the charm and tenderness of the French genius. He possessed, moreover, the robustness, the solidity, the clearness, on which repose the more brilliant faculties of the French race. The orchestration of the lift three acts was completed by Henri Büsser, the conductor of the Opera, with much re
many conditions and sincerity leave for a two-weeks tour, which will include concrets in this State, Missouri, and Iowa.

J. D.

Ireland's New Cello Sonata

Produced in London

Special from Monitor Burses

LONDON, Jan. 25—The first performance of John Ireland's new sonata for violoncello and pianoforte has been given to the Federation of Music Clubs conductor of the Opera, with much re-

was completed by Henri Blaser, the conductor of the Opera, with much respect and great tact.

"La Plus Forte" is the earth, the veritable mother of the French peasant, bound to the soil, to which he is ready to sacrifice any other affection, and even his home. The woman, too, is but the slave of the "Berre," but whe does not always accept the situation as readily as the man.

On a farm in Auvergne lives Pierre, who is concerned only about his cattle and his young wife, Julie. Julie is beautiful, and she laments the apparent neglect of Pierre Insemble to the call of the land, refusing to listen to her husband, who explains that he made her the queen of the farm and sacrificed to her his son, Jean, whom he sent to another farm, she goes away.

In the second act we find Julie in the mountains singing of her rewon inborty. She encounters Jean. They have never met before. They fail in love. But the idyl is brief. At the village fête fasher and son meet. Jean decides to go back to the farm to live with his father, but in the meantime he is to meet Julie at the Val d'Enfer—which, by the way, offers a gorgeous decor. But instead of Jean, Julie finds? Pierre at the rendezvous. He brutally reveals to her the truth and Julie has nothing left to her but to disappear. The young man is, of course, grieved, but it is evident that, exiled in the forest, he was regretting the "Terre". It is the "Terre" which will afford him consolation and oblivion.

The musical language is always clear and vigorous. The instrumental part is of rare puissance and vivid color. The village dances of the third act are treated with a charming art. The prefude of the second act is rich with descriptive emotion and the denouement is of tragic sobriety.

The work is admirably presented. The four decorated when a man the defined to a carrier and the work (played by Beatrice Harrison and Howard Jones, week Paddington with has entering and the work planting the sonata in the late after-noon, Chejsea in the evening: nearly and the first day, namely, Jan.

descriptive emotion and the denouement is of tragic sobriety. The work is admirably presented. The four decors are very beautiful. Mile. Lyse Charny is an admirable lyrical tragedienne. Her voice is profoundly moving, her diction excellent. Great praise is due to Henri Albers for his excellent interpretation of the rôle of Pierre, and M. Firant showed much warmth in the character of Jean.

Three Pianists Assist

occasionally files off on a tangent to chuckle over some unusual orchestral device. For the most part, he treats his subject seriously, rising to great heights of orchestral expression, only to break off, without apparent rhyme or reason, to indulge some filippant fancy. Perhaps a greater impression would have been made had the planist and orchestra been more unified in their exposition. Far more rehearsal should preface a first public performance than had been given this composition. So far as one could judge, the notes were played with but little attention to dynamics or phrasing.

It must be emphasized, however, that in the treatment of his thematic material Mr. Sowerby shows here a notable advance over anything of his heard previously. For the most part, his handling of the orchestra is much more rational; with fewer extravagances he achieves far more logical effects, although the climax, as played here, with plane glissandos and scream of violins, was farcical in its melodramatic abruptness.

was farcical in its melodramatic abruptness.

The Vaughan Williams "London
Symphony," heard for the second time
in Minneapells, was given with far
deeper insight into its character than
was the case a year ago. Familiarity
with the score accounts for this, and
the orchestra played with far greater
keenness than we have experienced
sometimes.

There were some admirable things in

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the rendering of the introduction to Act III of "Tristan and Isolds," but the performance was uneven, long-sustained tones being broken occasionally, and there was a certain degree of carelessness in attack, weaknesses that are fatal in music of this character.

At the conclusion of the Sunday popular concert, the orchestra will have for a two-weeks tour, which will include concerts in this State, Missouri, and Iowa.

mpleted by Henri Büsser, the tor of the Opéra, with much rend great tact.

Plus Forte" is the earth, the mother of the French peasured to the soll, to which he is to sacrifice any other affection. In his home. The woman, too, is always accept the situation as of the "Terre." but whe by always accept the situation as

an ideal world.

Beatrice Harrison and Howard Jones played the sonata with splendid insight and assurance. Their ensemble in Beethoven's sonata in A, op. 69, was also notably fine. M. M. S.

Chicago Hears Bruckner's Unfinished Symphony

Special from Monitor Bureau CHICAGO, Feb. 4-There were only hree compositions on the program of - Minneapolis Orchestra

MINNEAPOLIS, Feb. 2 (Special Corspendence)—For the symphony conthe third Brandenburg concerto by. respondence)—For the symphony con-the third Brandenburg concerto by cert last night Henri Verbrugghen had Bach, it brought forward Bruckner's the assistance of three planists: Guy ninth symphony as the middle work, Maier, Lee Pattison, and Arthur Shat- and it ended with the "Emperor" conminth symphony as the middle work, and it ended with the "Emperor" contrary to all custom and usage, his famous with care planes in C major. The first and last movements were especially notable for freshness and beauty of phrase, for excellent balance of tone, and for the musical quality of the interpretation. The slow movement was taken too slowly, and the orchestra was a little too loud in this section, making it the least impressive of the three.

Messrs. Pattison and Maler also gave the first performance anywhere of the least impressive of the three.

Messrs. Pattison and maler also gave the first performance anywhere of the sone, "King Estmere." It might just as easily have been based on any other ballad of the romantic period, so far so no could trace the adventurous in cidents of the story through the medium of the music.

Mr. Sowerby has modified his youthful exuberance to some extent in this work, not altogether, however, for he occasionally files off on a tangent to chuckle over some unusual orchestral device. For the most part, he treats his subject seriously right to the composition of the music restriction for the manner in which it has the principal impression of the story through the medium of the music.

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Mr. Stock's contribution began with that composition contained originally two movements, both in quick tempo, it has been the custom of conductors to interpolate a slow movement from one of the master's other works, in order to provide contrast. For this purpose Mr. Stock uses an arrangement of his Chase and her young son of Worcester own of a chorale prelude—an arrangement which he made as long ago as that comes as a distinct novely to the that comes as a distinct novely to the characteristic finished portrait of President A. Lawrence Lowell of Harvard University, the latest cannot be the carry that comes as a distinct novely to the characteristic finished portrait of President A. Lawrence Lowell of Harvard University, the latest cannot be the carry to the composition of President A. Lawrence Lowell of Harvard University, the latest cannot be the carry to the composition of President A. Lawrence Lowell of Harvard University, the latest cannot be the carry to the president A. Lawrence Lowell of Harvard University, the latest cannot be the custom of conductors to interpolate a slow movement from one of the master's other world is the recently finished portrait of President A. Lawrence Lowell of Harvard University, the latest cannot be the custom of the carry that composition to the composition of the master's half of President A. Lawrence Lowell of Harvard University. The latest cannot have the latest composition of the president A. Lawrence Lowell of Harvard University. The latest cannot have the latest cannot have

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been laid out for the strings.

Of Mr. Friedberg's playing of the E flat major concerts by Beethoven words of commendation must be expressed. It was sane, musicianly, virile playing, not, it is true, leading one to the highest pinnacles of artistic gratification, but, withal, leaving behind it a sense of work well done.

Architecture

New York Architectural League status quo of modern American archi-Holds Annual Exhibition ingly to the visitor. The problems that

New York, Feb. 6

ALTHOUGH the thirty-ninth annual exhibition of the Architectural League of New York includes a bewildering mass of decorative



Courtesy of the Grand Central Art Galleries, New York John Singer Sargent's Portrait of Mrs. I. Wm. White Included in the Sargent Exhibition to Be Held at the Grand Central Art Calleries, New York, Feb. 23-March 22

A Retrospective Sargent Exhibition

Special from Monitor Bureau

New York, Feb, 6

REAT activity reigns behind the scenes at the Grand Central Art Galleries, where the various canvases are now being assembled that are to comprise the notable Sargent exhibition scheduled to open there on Feb. 23. It is so long since any considerable group of John Singer Sargent's paintings has been seen in America or since he was a contributing member of the societies that many have forgotten the wide scope of his artistic achievements, and to the younger generation he is little else than a name.

Mr. Sargent is in no need of honors

Mr. Sargent is in no need of honors or public recognition, particularly since, contrary to all custom and usage, his famous Wetheimer portraits have found lodgment in the National Gallery in London by express order of the British Parliament, he being the first living artist of any nationality admitted to this august assemblage. The forthcoming opportunity to renew acquaintance with his American masterpieces will also be a time of revaluation for all concerned, and he will have to stand the acid test of the modern viewpoint.

Mr. Sargent, who is a member of this unique association of artists and lay-Mr. Sargent is in no need of honors

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likeness of Joseph Pulitzer, besides portraits of Robert Louis Stevenson, Edwin Booth, Edward Robinson, director of the Metropolitan Museum of Art, John Hay, Mrs. Hartley Carnegie, Mrs. Charles Inches, Mrs. J. Wm. White, Mrs. William Endicott of Boston, and Gen. Leonard Wood from the Corcoran Gallery in Washington.

Although the greater part of Mr. Sargent's work has been done in England, where he has lived most of his life, he has come to spend more and more of these latter years in Boston, sis where he continues the decoration of its public buildings. So it is eminently fitting that these eloquent testimonies of his genius be assembled. Even if his most famous London successes cannot be secured for this retrospective exhibition, of America's most distinguished living artist, yet there will be plentiful proof that Mr. Sargent is entitled to be called America's most distinguished living representative in the arts. The exhibition will continue distinguished living representative in the arts. The exhibition will continue for one month. R. F.

AMUSEMENTS

SAN FRANCISCO

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confront the city builder of today and the delightful refinements and individuality that are being given the twentieth century country home and its setting, are the really impressive aspects of the exhibition, despite the side at-tractions in the hundred and one tractions in the hundred and one phases of home and garden embellishment. All the galleries of the Fins Arts Building are filled to overflowing with almost a thousand contributions. This particular exhibition offers each year to a great number of the lesser known decorative painters and designers the chance to show their work. The only other organization in New York that gives men and women quite the that gives men and women quite the same opportunity to step before the public is the Metropolitan Museum of same opportunity to step before the public is the Metropolitan Museum of Art with its annual exhibition of American Industrial Art. While there is a generous display of gay color and much variety of style and treatment in the paintings they are in the main derivative of past epochs and present vogues. The glowing Spanish decorations by J. M. Sert that are just now attracting all New York to the Wildenstein Galleries will do much to stir these local artists to ampler phraseology, but they need the impetus of legitimate restrictions, as the architects have with their city zonal problems, to bring out latent individuality. It may be that the much derided modernism is the destined instrument to bring about this emirancipation, but there is much too much pseudo-Russian and neo-Persian art, too many transcriptions of Bennozzo Gozzoli, Hubert Robert, and Puvis de Chavanne at the present time.

American architecture is emerging

Chavanne at the present time.

American architecture is emerging into a period of real importance. The modern skyscraper is becoming a thing of new and unsuspected beauty under the new zonal laws. A set of dramatic drawings by Hugh Ferriss show the possibilities of the terracing and pyramidal grouping that is being carried out in such structures as the new Shelton Hotel, the Fraternity Center, the proposed Methodist Episcopal temple, the Fisk Building, and the proposed Convocation Building by Bertram Goodhue that is little short of amazing in its proportiops.

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Donn Barber's preliminary sketch for the Broadway Temple is another important aspect of the new architecture, as is the Chicago Tribune Building by John M. Howells and the black and gold American Radiator Building by Raymond M. Hood that is causing all New York to take notice as it rears its sable bulk over the Public Library. Cross & Cross show their novel plan for the nearly completed American Plano Building which is to terminate in a very decorative self-advertising turret. The photographs of the recently completed Third Church of Christ, Scientist, New York, by Delano & Aldrich Illustrate the successful adaptation of early American styles for modern uses.

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INVESTMENTS

SOVIET ECONOMIST DESCRIBES RUSSIAN INDUSTRIAL SYSTEM

Stricter Government Control of Prices Predicted, but Present System of State Ownership Will Remain

MOSCOW, Jan. 10 (Special Correapandence)—The present economic distribution from \$8. per cent to 25 per cent.

"What is the attitude of the Russian government toward concessions to manufactured goods and the law prices of farm products, will bring about certain definite changes and reforms.

"We should welcome concessions, because, many factories are standing to the former capital or cause, many factories are standing to the former capital or cause. certain definite changes and reforms in the management of trade and industry. There will be stricter governmental control over the peices which are charged by the state trasts. The organization of the co-operative groups will be decentralized, so that products can reach the local co-operative groups with less delay and less overhead expense. Every effort will be made to discover and eliminate the unnecessary costs which explain the difference between the production cost of an article and the price which the ultimate consumer has to pay for it. But there will be no fundamental change in the present system of state ownership and operation of the more

change in the present system of state ownership and operation of the more essential Russian industries.

These were the outstanding impressions which one carried away from an interview with Mr. Larin, one of the best known Soviet economists and a frequent contributor to the Moscow papers. He said:

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and a frequent contributor to the Moscow papers. He said:

Our present industrial system may be regarded as stable. Of course minor changes and readjustments will be made when experience shows that they are necessary or desirable. But there is no intention of making any radical change, either in the direction of surrendering our industries to private capital or in the direction of surrendering our industries to private capital or in the direction of abolishing our new economic policy and going back to the old system? under which private trade was forbidden and the industries were denied freedom of action.

At the present time about 5 or 6 per cent of our factories sire leased to private operators, who undertake to pay a fixed rental to the Government and to observe all labor laws and regulations. The leasing system is especially prevalent in the oil and soap industries.

Most of our industries are directly managed and controlled by the State. The form of organization is usually as follows: A number of factories are combined in a trust. The managing board of the trust is appointed by the Supreme Economic Council, the governmental body which is intrusted with the administration of industry. When it seems advisable, all the trusts in a given industry combine to form a syndicate, a body which carries on the buying and selling operations for the whole industry. The profits of the trusts are at the disposal of the State, and a commission from the Supreme Economic Council decides in each case how much of the profit remains in the industry and how much reverts to the State.

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to the State.
During the last business year, which ended on Oct. 1, the state industries made a clear profit of \$100. dustries made a clear proint of \$100,000, besides paying taxes to the amount of \$65,000,000. This profit was by no means evenly divided. Some of the heavy industries, such as coal, metal, and transport, are still running at a deficit, and this is made up from the gains of the more prosperous industries.

In reply to a question about what is being done to close the "scissors," the vivid Russian expression for the gap between the prices of farm and factory products, Mr. Larin remarked:

From Oct 1 to Dec. 1 manufactured goods, on the average, declined by 14 per cent, while farm products rose by 20 per cent. This is only the beginning of an equalizing process that will go on until a more normal relation; restored. We expect considerable is vings in dismore normal relation is restored. We expect considerable savings in distribution costs from certain reforms in the administration of the co-operatives. Now it is calculated that the price of an article is apt to increase by 88 per cent between the time when it leaves the warehouses of the central co-operative organization in Moscow and the time when it reaches the smaller co-operatives in the towns and villages. By granting credit to the smaller co-operatives and by giving them the right to buy directly whatever they need without going to the central organization, we hope to cut down this particular expense of distribution from \$8.per cent to 35 per cent.

and Sears, Roebuck Reports Shows Great Progress

What is the attitude of the Russian Governing of toward concessions, use for the season of th

The fact that 19 unemployed on Dec. 5 had risen by Jan. 5, 1924, to 37 is possibly due to seasonal causes. On the whole, the results are regarded as satisfactory in view of the diffi-culties of finding a footing in a new country, and the hard pioneer work which has to be performed. Moreover, the majority of those sent out were from the ranks of Swiss unemployed.

DANISH INDUSTRIAL POSITION SATISFIES

COPENHAGEN, Jan. 23 (Special Correspondence)-The Statistics Depart-ment, in its survey of 1923, states that been fairly good for shipping, but rates,

been fairly good for shipping, but rates, especially about the middle of the year, had been low. The gross amount of freight earned by the Danish merchant navy abroad during 1923 is put at 200,000.000 kroner for 1922. Rates are now 20 to 40 per cent above pre-war, rates, taking the average for several years.

The economic conditions in Denmark have been steadily improving during 1923 and are expected to continue during 1924. The exports of agricultural produce have, in the matter of quantity, reached top figure. On the other hand, the revenue from the bacon industry, which is very important, has diminished, and the industry has still 32,000 unemployed. The stabilization of the krone will leave fonly a normal profit, but there seems no reason to doubt that but there seems no reason to doubt that this will suffice for 1924.

PIG IRON HIGHER

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PITTSBURGH, Feb. 7—Increased activity, in iron has resulted in advance of about \$1 a ton on practicelly all grades in western Pennsylvania section. Foundry is quoted at \$24, with indications of stronger development within a few weeks. Bessemer and basic are at \$24 and \$23, respectively, advance of \$2 since Feb. 1.

LARGE MAIL ORDER DURBAN WOOL HOUSES ARE AGAIN

Analysis of Montgomery Ward and Sears, Roebuck Reports Shows Great Progress

Sears, Roebuck.

Current Sales

In November and December, 1923, and January, 1924, Montgomery Ward showed an aggregate sales gain of \$9,-300,221. In those months Sears, Roebuck's sales made an aggregate gain of \$632,940 over the preceding year. This is a rather marked difference, Sears sales gaining \$219,567, 1.08 per cent. In November; \$40,602. '2 per cent, in December and \$372,771, 1.97 per cent, in January. Montgomery Ward, on the other hand, reported \$3,108,562 increase in November, 28.25 per cent, \$3,433,431, or 29.5 per cent, in December and \$2,728,238, or 32.18 per cent, in January. In financial position Montgomery Ward showed \$7,139,972 of accounts payable and no bank loans, while Sears, Roebuck had \$8,953,036 of accounts payable and \$7,880,900 of bank loans.

The latter showed \$40,272,512 in inventories, \$22,989,034 accounts receivable, \$12,000,000 purchase money notes (Rosenwald notes on real estate) and \$5,737,245 of cash. Montgomery Ward reported \$24,451,485 inventories, \$4,544,009 accounts and notes receivable and \$3,365,476 cash.

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REPUBLIC IRON & STEEL EARNS \$10 SHARE ON COMMON

Republic Iron & Steel for the year ended Dec. 31, 1923, reports net profit of \$6,252,218 after taxes, interest and depreciation, equal, after allowing for the preciation, equal, alter allowing for the regular 7 per cent dividend requirement on the preferred, to \$15 a share earned on the \$30,000,000 outstanding common. The company charged out of income for the year 13 per cent preferred dividends, including 6 per cent back dividends, leaving a surplus of \$3,002,218, or \$10 a share on the common. This com-

\$10 a share on the common. This compares with net profit of \$418.312 in 1922.

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Net earnings	\$8,600,792	\$2.189,408
Other income	667,004	331,454
Total income	9,267,796	2,520,862
Depreciation	1.404,579	1,002,373
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Interest & discount.	1,226,640	877,367
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Total surplus	33,003,835	29,994,641
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*Thirteen per cent dividends, including 6 per cent on account of back dividends. Unfilled orders Dec. 31, last, totaled 141,911 tons, against 219,948 Dec. 31, 1922. Republic Iron & Steel Company's current assets Dec. 31, 1923, were \$30,175. 440 and current liabilities \$4,754,927, making working capital \$25,420,513, compared with \$16,156,771 at the close of 1922 and \$15,180,084 at the close of

WALWORTH EARNINGS HIGH
Although the final figures for 2923 of
the Walworth Manufacturing Commany
have not yet been made up, compilations
show that earnings for the year will hear
out estimates of approximately \$7 a shaws
for the 200,000 shares of \$20 par stock.
These results are after liberal depreciation charges and special reserve funds.
The report will issue in the next week
or two and will disclose a strong financial condition.

REAL ESTATE BONDS REAL ESTATE BONDS

NEW YORK, Feb. 7-In 1923 \$58.837.000 real estate mortgage bonds were sold
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to finance construction of office buildings,
cnartments and hotels in New York City.
This figure represents slightly less than
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done throughout the country by the
larger real estate bond underwriters, and
about one-eighth the estimated total from
all sources.

UNITED STATES STEEL

PITTSBURGH, Feb. 7—Lower Union mills of Carnegie Steel Company in Pittsburgh have been closed and are being dimantled. Abandonment is said by steel men to mark the beginning of a policy on the part of the United States Steel Corporation to gradually withdraw from the city proper because of the high cost of land and taxes, and to build new plants adjacent to Pittsburgh, where good shipping facilities are available.

INDIAN OIL ROYALTIES WASHINGTON, Feb. 7—The Nation's Indian wards received \$36,659,810 in royal-ties last year from oil and gas leases on their lands, their oil bonuses ranging from 12½ per cent to 20 per cent on a total production of 53,914,477, barrels, according to a report made public by the Interior Department.

TRADE GAINING

ON SOLID FOOTING South African Port Now Has Exchange for Growers

DURBAN, Dec. 15 (Special Correspondence) — Brigadier-General Ensith, D. S. O., chief of the Sheep and Wool Department of the Government, who

gan & Co., has given rise to a Wall Street report that he has gone abroad for the purpose of investigating conditions in Germany and the possibility of a loan to that country. Mr. Whitney is not only regarded as an expert on German finance, but in the spring of 1922 he accompanied Mr. Morgan to Paris. where both attended a conference of international bankers in a discussion of the reparations problem. Significance is attached to Mr. Whitney's presence in Europe at this time, owing to the fact that the international commission headed by Charles G. Dawes is seeking for a basis of stabilization in Germany. One of the rumors in circulation is that Mr. Whitney had been invited to Europe to act as its financial advisor, but this cannot be confirmed. It was admitted at the office of J. P. Morgan & Co. that Mr. Whitney, had gone to London on business of an inter-office nature. It is assumed that his destination when he left this country was the office of the firm's English affiliation in London, Morgan, Grenfell & Co.

Still another report was that Mr. Whitney has gone abroad to discuss with British bankers the preparations for the flotation of a large international loan to Hungary. It was recalled that Thomas W. Lamont sailed for Europe about this time last year to confer with bankers on the Austrian loan. Mr. Whitney's departure is believed to have been in connection with a sudden new financial development, because J. P.

been in connection with a sudden new financial development, because J. P. Morgan himself returned only last December from his annual vacation

SCOTTISH BANK **DEPOSITS GROW** IN DEPRESSION

EDINBURGH, Jan. 4 (Special Correpares with net profit of \$418.312 in 1922.
or \$1.67 a share on \$25.000,000 preferred.
Profit and loss surplus at the close of 1923 was \$33.003.835. against \$29.994.641
Dec. 31, 1922.
Income account for the year ended Dec. 31, 1923, compares as follows:
1923 1922 wore than the previous year, Over 10.000 new accounts had 1923 1922
Net earnings \$8.600.792 \$2.189.406.
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Never before in the history of the bank, which was founded in 1836, had that figure come up to £20,000,000, and that had been accomplished, it was pointed out, despite the fact that the year had been one of great industrial depression in the Glasgow district.

Nearly 45,000 new accounts had been opened, and the balance due to depositors had increased during the year, by tors had increased during the year by more than £300,000.

INCOME STATEMENT OF THE BANGOR & ARISTOOK ROAD

The condensed income statement of the Bangor & Aroostook Railroad for

5 4 1	1923	1922
Gross	\$6,769,802	\$7,437,216
Operating expenses	5,079,775	5.802.369
Net revenue	1,690,027	1,984.846
Other income	447,732	308,484
Gross income	2,167,759	2,248,330
Taxes	530.129	535.522
Bal after taxes	1,637,630	1,707,808
Int on funded debt		1.031,335
Sur after charges	594,911	676,473

After paying 7 per cent on the pre-ferred stock there was left available for dividends on the common stock 9.2 per cent. The actual common stock dividend paid during the year was 4½ per cent. In 1922 the balance for the common was 11.21 per cent a share and in 1921 3.50 per cent.

ILLINOIS POWER & LIGHT CHICAGO, Feb. 7-Net earnings of the Illinois Power & Light Corporation for 2 months ending Dec. 31, 1923, were \$9,-119.047 after deducting taxes, an increase of \$1,800,606 over the corresponding period of 1922. Gross earnings for the period were \$27,930,854, compared with \$25,664,611 in 1922.

LONDON QUOTATIONS LONDON, Feb. 7—Consuls for money 16%, DeBeers 121%, Rand Mines 3; money 2% per cent; discount rates—short bills 3% per cent; three months' bills 3% per cent.

TO SELL MOTOR TRUCK ASSETS DETROIT, Feb. 7—London & Western Trust Company, Ltd., London, Canada, trustees in bankruptcy, are offering for vale the assets and good will of Ruggles' Motor Truck Company, Ltd.

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SWISS FRANC BASIS OF POLISH VALUES

lope of an Effective Financial Reform Tends to Reconcile Folk to Conditions

era in the history of the Pol'sh treasury. Taxes, postal and telegraphic, municipal and other rates, rallway fares, are all reckoned now according to the rate of exchange of the Swiss franc. In this way the treasury will no longer lose by the devaluation of the Polish mark, and the way is being prepared for the issue of new money. The immediate effect is an enormous in prices and the next faw. increase in prices and the next few months promise to be heavy ones for the population. But there is hope that the process of financial reform will really lead to a healthy state of the finances and that the country will in the course of some months gain a fixed currency and therewith a stable and firm basis of existence.

Meanwhile, the consumer and above all the professional classes, have a hard time before them, since the increase in salaries bears no comparison with the increase in the price of articles of first necessity. In addition, the country is suffering from an ex-ceptionally severe winter. Within the last few days railway communication has in some parts been completely interrupted on account of blizzards. Be-tween Warsaw and Cracow traffic stopped for two days, and frains were snowed up to- 24 hours.

price quite independently of the rate of exchange. Railway fares have increased beyond even pre-war rates, and the same is so with postal rates. Foreign postage for instance is 30 centimes (Swiss) for a fetter, where elsewhere it is 25 centimes. But all the heavy burdens will be borne cheerfully and bravely once the population is convinced that a real reform of the finances will be arrived at. The Prime Minister, Mr. Grabski, who is also Minister of Finance, has obtained special powers from the Diet, and for the first time since the establishment of the Polish republic the Diet is practically unanimous in

exchange of the Swiss franc.

The preliminary statement of the White Motor Company for the year ended Dec. 31, 1923, shows net earnings of approximately \$6,900,000 after taxes

Goodbear Tire & Rubber Company for the year ended Dec. 31, 1922, reports nat of \$7,667,544 after expenses and interest charges, compared with \$5,305,\$13 in 1922. Surplus after providing for preferred divi-dends, proportion of bond and debenture discount: and reorganization expenses written off, and other charges, was \$3,-136,196, compared with \$3,551,182.

INTERNATIONAL NICKEL INTERNATIONAL NICKEL
International Nickel Company net for
the nine months ended Dec. 31, 1923, of
\$788,191 after federal taxes, depreciation
and depletion, is equivalent after preferred dividends to 23 cents a share (par \$25) on \$41,834,660 common, compares
with \$17,937 or 29 cents a share on \$8,912,\$600 preferred stock in the corresponding
period of 1922.

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WARSAW, Jan. 17 (Special Correspondence)—On Jan. 1 began a new era in the history of the Polish treas-

One village in the Carpathians was quite buried in the snow. In consequence articles of food have risen in

reposing confidence in the Premier.
Perhaps the worst complication in the present financial situation is that fiscal obligations, railway and postal tariffs are regulated according to the fore every fortnight the official organ announces a new rate of tariffs corresponding to the currency of the franc. Not only does this incur an enormous amount of work, but it

and charges, equivalent to \$13.80 a share (par \$50) on \$25,000,000 stock, compared with \$3,770,617, or \$7.54 a to those interested in this old-line exshare in 1922. The preliminary state-

 share in 1922. The preliminary statement compares:
 Estimated 1923. Actual 1922.

 Net aft chgs. — \$6,900.000
 \$3,770.617.

 Dividends. — 2.000.000
 2.000.000

 Surplus. — 4,900.000
 1.770.617.

 Profit & loss. — 9,400.000
 4,461.077.

NEW YORK. Feb. 7.—12 expect greatly increased copper consumption in the United States in 1924, over 1923," said Spencer Fenrose, director of Utah and Kennecott Copper Company, sailing on the steamship Paris. I don't think production of copper aviil increase, but with increased consumption in the United States I look for prices to go up. I also expect Europe to use more copper in 1924 than she did in 1923." GOODYEAR TIRE & RUBBER

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SEVEN MILLIONS HAMILTON WOOLEN CO.'S EARNINGS \$27.36 'A SHARE

The statement of Hamilton Woolen After disbursing a stock dividend of 10

OIL IN PALESTINE JERUSALEM, Feb. 7—The Zionist ex-ecutive committee announces that the Standard Oll Company has struck oil in a well drilled in the affeient Biblical town of Hebron. It is not far from the famous Abraham's oak and the old residences of Abraham, David and the patriarchs.

LEHIGH VALLET COAL BONDS SOLD NEW YORK, Feb. 7—Drexel & Co. and Frial National Bank of New York an-nounce that \$15,000,000 Lehigh Valley Coal Company 5 per cent bonds offered by them have all been sold and books closed.

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LONDON, Feb. 7-The Bank of English weekly return compares as for lows:

Circulation ... f125,880,000
Public deposits. 15.801,000
Private deposits. 104,197,000
Govt securities. 46,797,000
Other securities. 72,800,000
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MARLAND OIL INCOME MARLAND OIL INCOME
NEW YORK, Feb. 7-Marland Oil consolidated income account, including subsidjaries, submitted to the Stock Exchange
for the II months ended Nov. 30, 1923,
shows gross \$30,530,312, expenses \$21,672,
402, net \$8,867,900, miscellaneous income
\$99,348, gross Income \$8,967,257, interest
and discount \$1,192,485, abandoned wells
and leases \$192,528, net Income \$7,572,244.

UNITED STATES 1923 REVENUE WASHINGTON, Feb. 7—Internal revenue receipts of the country in 1923 totaled \$2,793,895,751. Of this amount \$1,3835,552,996 was in income taxes and \$953,343,285 was in miscellaneous taxes.

vessels have been launched, made up under 24,500,000 tons for the previous of 333 steamers; \$1 motor vessels and decade.

Against all these figures must be set

BRITAIN ESTABLISHES NEW LOW

RECORD IN SHIPBUILDING TRADE

Special from Monitor Bureau

LONDON, Jan. 22—Lloyd's List publishes its annual register of the mercantile shipbuilding of the world for 1923. The salient points are as follows: In Great Britain and Ireland, 222 vessels of 646,651 tons were launched, viz., 179 steamers, 21 motor vessels, and 22 barges. These were all steel ships, and not a single sail-sing vessel was built. These figures show a decrease of nearly 500,000 tons on 1922 and of 4,500,000 tons as compared with 1919, the record year.

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The average tonnage of vessels is in the total for 1923 is 30 per cent less than the previous lowest year, 1893. The average tonnage of vessels launched is much lower than usual, viz., 3202 tons. This is as compared with 5186 in 1922, and over 4009 for each of the previous four years, Twenty-one motor vessels of 87,244

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Not a Single Sailing Vessel Constructed, and All New Ships Are Steel-Motor Boat Tonnage Grows

of these vessels have oil-driven dynamos for electric drive.

At the opening of 1923, tonnage
under construction in Great Britain
and Ireland totaled 1,468,699 tons, a
reduction of 2,329,994 tons compared
with the record reached in 1921. During the last quarter, however, a decided increase took place, there being
only 73,418 tons less than a year ago.

Against all these figures must be set.

As compared with pre-war periods, it is interesting to note the huge increase in tonnage launched during the Against all these figures must be set the fact that 164,000 tons is building on which all work is suspended. This is smaller than the figure of a year ago, added to which the orders for new ships have recently increased. Lloyd's Register for the last quarter of 1923 gives 245,000 tons as commenced, so it is hoped an improvement in the shipbuilding outlook has set in.

In other countries 479 merchant was over 35.500.000 tons as compared with pre-war periods, it is interesting to note the huge in-crease in tonnage launched during the four years 1918-21, as compared with pre-war periods, it is interesting to note the huge in-crease in tonnage launched during the pre-war periods as well as the enormous decrease in output during the pre-war periods as well as the enormous decrease in output during the pre-war periods as well as the enormous decrease in tonnage launched during the pre-war periods as well as the enormous decrease in tonnage launched during the pre-war periods as well as the enormous decrease in tonnage launched during the pre-war periods as well as the enormous decrease in output during the pre-war periods as well as the enormous decrease in output during the pre-war periods as well as the enormous decrease in output during the pre-war periods as well as the enormous decrease in output during the pre-war periods as well as the enormous decrease in output during the pre-war periods as well as the enormous decrease in output during the pre-war periods as well as the enormous decrease in output during the pre-war periods as well as the enormous decrease in output during the pre-war periods as well as the enormous decrease in output during the pre-war periods as well as the enormous decrease in output during the pre-war periods as well as the enormous decrease in output during the pre-war periods as well as the enormous decrease in output during the pre-war periods as well as the enormous decrease in output during the pre-war periods as well as the enormous decrease in output during the pre-war periods as

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CHICAGO BOARD

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SPRINGFIELD GAS LIGHT SPRINGFIELD GAS LIGHT
The Springfield Gas Light Company in
1923 reported \$2,001.304 of gross, \$465.348
net and a \$293.234 balance before dividends, which called for \$331,004. Gas
sales last year totaled 1.859.473,000 cubic
feet, Customers number 50,641.

ELL TELEPHONE SYSTEM'S GROWTH IS ASTONISHING Fewer Maturities Last Month Are

Gross Revenues Mount to New Peaks Yearly, Exceeding Half Billion

The unfaltering growth of the Bell system is one of the wunders of the ige Year after year gross revenues have mounted to new peaks, passing the half-billion mark in 1922, when operating revenues amounted to \$545,829,000.

Net earnings have kept pace with gross revenues. For the last decade

gross revenues. For the last decade net on American Telephone common has ranged between \$3.88 and \$11.72 a share. Since inauguration of the \$9 dividend rate net has been above \$11 a share annually.

Figures of net earnings in the case of the Bell System, unlike those of many smaller public utilities, represent net after all charges, including liberal reserves for depreciation. Approximately one-seventh of gross revenues of the system is spent on maintenance.

of the system mance.

Over the last five years every dollar so spent has been more than matched by a dollar added to depreciation reserves to take care of replacements to present plant when its maintenance in a high state of operating efficiency is no longer economically possible.

Confidence in Its Stability

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The confidence in the stability of income from telephone investments on the part of thousands of shareholders and bondholders in the parent company and, its associated companies has enabled the Bell System to make plans for expansion which would have staggered its officials a decade ago.

In 1923 additions to the telephone plant of the system totaled more than \$240,000,000, and for 1924 the budget calls for the expenditure of \$270,000,000.

As tas been its policy throughout its carrier, the American Telephone Company continues to keep its capital structure balanced as between funded debt, obligations and shares of associated companies in the hands of the public and its own capital stock.

The last offering of stock of the parent company was on Nov. 1, 1922, when \$118,000,000 new stock was subscribed. Last year, however, about \$50,000,000 additional stock was issued on completion of installment payments on employees' subscriptions and on conversion of bonds.

An active period of telephone financing was inaugurated with the sale of

An active period of telephone financ-An active period of telephone mancing was inaugurated with the sale of \$100,000,000 American Telephone debenture 5½s last November. Issues of bonds and stock of associated companies since that time have aggregated \$27.881.000

\$97.681,000.

The \$190,000,000 or so which has thus been raised in a few months is not all available for the 1924 expansion program, since the system has had to meet the maturity of \$40,000,000 notes of the parent company and \$9,715,000 Michigan State Telephone bonds during this period.

Subsidiary Holdings

The American Telephone Company makes it a practice to exercise its rights to subscribe to shares in associated companies when offered, thus maintaining the proportion of its holdings.

Of the \$16,691,000 New England Telephone stock offered, the parent company will thus take \$9,628,500; of \$8,000,000,000, Southern New England Telephone its share was \$1,000,300; of \$8,000,000. Bell Telephone of Canada it will take \$2,170,100. Of the whole amount of \$197,691,000 raised by stock and bond offerings in a few months some \$123,500,000 represents net proceeds available to the Bell System for its 1924 expansion program.

DIVIDENDS

Niles Bement Pond Company declared the regular quarterly dividend of 1½ percent on the preferred stock, payable Feb. 20 to stock of record Feb. 7.

Brooklyn City Railroad declared the regular quarterly dividend of 25 cents, payable March 1 to stock of record Feb. 15.

Directors of Connecticut Mills have de-

payable March 1 to stock of record Feb. 18.

Directors of Connecticut Mills have declared a dividend of 8% per cent. representing five of the quarterly back dividends which have accrued on the first preferred stock, payable Feb. 6 to stock of record Feb. 4. There remains \$3.50 a share yet to be paid.

Standard Oil Company of Kanzas declared the regular quarterly dividend of 50 cents, payable March 15 to stock of record Feb. 29.

Wright Aeronautical declared the regular quarterly dividend of 25 cents, payable Feb. 29 to stock of record Feb. 18.

Orpheum Circuit declared two monthly dividends of 12½ cents on the common, payable March 1 and April 1 to stock of record Feb. 20 and March 20, respectively.

The regular quarterly 2 per cent preferred

payable March 1 and April 1 to stock of record Feb. 20 and March 20, respectively. The regular quarterly 2 per cent preferred dividend was also declared, payable April 1 to stock of record March 15.

The Federal Light & Traction declared the quarterly dividend of \$1 on the common, payable in cash, and an extra dividend of \$\frac{3}{2}\$ per cent, payable in 6 per cent preferred dividend quarterly 1½ per cent preferred dividend was also declared, payable March 1 to stock of record Feb. 15. Dividend of \$\frac{3}{2}\$ per cent cash and \$\frac{3}{2}\$ per cent stock was declared on common stock in December, 1923.

Lanston Monotype declared the regular quarterly \$1.50 dividend, payable Feb. 25 to stock of record Feb. 19.

Hydrox Corporation declared the regular quarterly \$1.50 dividend, payable Feb. 29 are underly \$1.50 dividend payable Feb. 29.

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business.
Chicago Railway Equipment Company
has declared a quarterly common dividend
of 75 cents, payable March 31 to stock of
record March 20. The common last year
was a 50-cent basis, quarterly.
Atlantic Refunga Company declared the
regular quarterly \$1 dividend on the common, payable March 15 to stock of record
Feb. 21.

COMMODITY PRICES NEW YORK, Feb. 7 (Special)—Fellowing are the day's cash prices for staple

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commercial products:		
Feb. 7	Jan. 7	Feb.
1924	1923	192
Wheat, No. 1 spring. 1.44	1,40%	
Wheat, No. 2 red 1.31	1.26	1.501
Corn. No. 2 yellow 9814	9214	.93
Oats, No. 2 white 6014	.54%	.57
Flour, Minn. pat 6.69	6.25	7.25
Lard, prime	13.30	11.85
Pork, mess24.50	25.50	27.50
Beef family	21.00	19.00
Sugar, gran 8.69	8.60	6.70
Iron, No. 2 Phil23,63	24.26	23.76
Silver . 3	1.643	.635
rl.end 8.15	7.75	8.00
Tin	47.375	40.25
Copper	12.675	14.75
Rubber, rib sm. shts . "51's	.2656	.35
Cotton, Mid Uplnds24.35	35.40	27.85
Steel billets, Pitts 40.00	40.00	37.50
Print cloths0714		.077
Zinc 7.00	6,725	7.15

NEWTON STEEL CO. EARNINGS Newton Steel Company for the year ended Dec. 31, 1923, reports net of \$1,091,-\$82 after depreciation and federal tax, equal after preferred dividends to \$10.39 a share on 100,000 shares of no-par com-mon.

. GENERAL MOTORS CAR SALES General Motors in January sold more than 55,000 cars and trucks compared with 51,370 sold in December, 1923, and with 49,162 in January a year ago.

LESS FINANCING DURING JANUARY

Regarded as Cause

Corporate financing in January, 1924, fell off considerably from December and January, 1925, despite the fact that money was easy and the investment market in-sound condition.

This was partly due to the small

This was partly due to the small amount of maturities due in January. The total of bonds, notes, and stocks issued in January by railroads, industrial and public utility corporations was \$368,449,485. compared with \$305,\$26,650 in December, and \$629,747,865 in January, 1923.

As a whole, new issues offered in January carried the lowest interest rates singe the war, indicating easier money, tendencies and a gradual return to pre-war conditions in the investment field.

Among the largest issues prought out

Among the largest issues brought out in January were Canadian National Raliway Company \$50,000,000 guaranteed 5 per cent bonds, and Southwestern Bell Telephone Company \$50,000,000 5 per cent bonds. Both issues were principally sold by the underwriting syndicates and found a ready market. In fact, all issues offered in the month were well received.

Amounts of bonds, notes and stock issued by railroad, industrial and public utility corporations in January, 1924, were as follows:

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Bonds Notes Stock
Railroad \$81,217,000 \$14,816,600
Ind & Mis. 60,215,000 \$46,590,625
Pub Util.119,334,000 \$80,000 \$2,446,220
Total \$260,766,000 23,646,000 \$2,986,845
Approximately \$30,092,000 of the total was used to retire maturing securities. This compares with \$17,820,000, or 5.8 per cent in December, and \$196,209,000, or 31.2 per cent in January, 1923.

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Leading Central Bank Rates The 12 federal reserve banks in the United States and banking centers in foreign countries quote the discount rate

	as follows:	
٠	Boston 41/4	Chicago 4
	Now York 414	St. Louis 4
	Philadelphia 41/4	Kansas City 4
	Cleveland 41/4	Minneapolis 4
e	Philadelphia 4 1/2 Cleveland 4 1/2 Richmond 4 1/2	Dallas 4
ı	Atlanta 41/2	San Francisco 41
,	Amsterdam 5	London4
ı	Athens 614	Madrid 5
ı	Berlin10	Paris 6
	Budapest18	Prague 4
	Bucharest 6	Rome 51
	Bombay 8	Sofia 61
١.	Brussels 5%	Stockholm 51
	Copenhagen 7	Swiss Bank 41
	Calcutta 8	Tokyo 3
	Christiania 7	Vienna 9
	Lisbon 9	Helsingfors 9
	Warsaw 12	

Foreign Exchange Rates

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	Sterling:	Current	Previous	Parity
-	Demand	34.31%	\$4.3114	\$4.8648
-	Cables	\$4.32	\$4.3114	4.864
-	French francs	.046334	.0465	.193
-	Belgian francs.		.0411	.193
1	Swiss francs		.1741	.193
a	Lire		.0493%	,193
4	Holland		.3753	.402
-	Sweden		.2631	.268
f	Norway	.1348	.1345	.268
ť	Denmark	.1638	.1636	.268
	Spain		.1279	.193
	Portugal		.032	1.08
	Greece	.017934	.01761/2	.193
1	tAustria		.01414	.2026
y	Armentina	-2314	.3314	.4245
	Brazil	.1180	.1170	3244
f	*Poland	.0010	.0010	.238
	tHungary	.036	.035	.203
1	Jugoslavia		.011814	.193
1	Finland	.025	.0252	.193
	Czechoslovakia.	.0291	.029014	.2026
a	Rumania	.0051	.005134	.193
-	Sharighai (tael)	.71%	.7184	1.0832
-	Hong Kong	.5034	.50%	.78
r	Bombay	.303	.3045	.4866
0	Yokohama	.455	.4516	.4984
	Uruguay	.7874	.7952	1.0342
r	Chile	.1030	.10%	.365
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+Per thousand. *Per million.

ST. LOUIS-SAN FRANCISCO NEW YORK, Feb. 7.—St. Louis-San Francisco Company declared interest on 6 per cent cumulative adjacent bonds for six months ended Dec. 31, payable April 1. For the six months ended Dec. 31 payable April 1. For the six months ended Dec. 31 balance available for interest on adjustment bonds was \$4.241,549, of which \$1,213,719 is required for interest payment.

BOSTON, REVERE BEACH & LYNN Boston. Revere Beach & Lynn Railroad reports to the Department of Public Utilities for the quarter ended Dec. 31, 1923, a net loss of \$25,942 compared with a loss of \$37,329 a year ago. Dividends of \$12,-750 were declared during the quarter, leaving a final deficit of \$42,692.

NO UNIFORMITY IN MILL PROFITS AT NEW BEDFORD

Fine Cotton Goods Concerns Do Well but Yarn Factories Have Rather Poor Year

NEW BEDFORD, Mass. Peb, 5 (Special)—Barnings of approximately \$30 a share on the common stock, after allowing for federal taxes, but before making any deduction for depreciation, were shown by two of the New Bedford fine cotton goods mills for the year 1923, when the financial balance sheet was

were shown by two of the New Bedford fine cotton goods mills for the year 1923, when the financial balance sheet was presented at the regular annual meeting of the stockholders, which was held yesterday. These were made in spite of adverse business conditions in the cotton goods markets, which have compelled many New England cotton mills to curtail production very heavily, or to shut down altogether.

On the other hand, three of New Bedford's fine combed yarn spinning mills, which also issued balance sheets at their regular annual stockholders' meeting yesterday, plainly showed in their financial results for the year the results of the deep depression that has affected, the cotton yarn industry during a greater part of the year, and has made it impossible for mace than a small part of the available spinning equipment to be operated steadily.

Poer Year for Some

Two of the three local yarn mills which issued balance sheets yesterday, the Quissett Mill and the Holmes Manufacturing Company, are known far and wide as among the most prosperous, successful and well managed yarn mills in the United States, yet if full allowance is made for depreciation, the earnings they show during the year, and little could be added to aurplus.

The third yarn mill, the Sharp Manufacturing Company, not only failed to earn either common or preferred dividends, but showed a loss of more than \$270,000 before making any deduction whatever for depreciation, and after allowing for \$122,000 paid during the year in dividends, which came from surplus. The stockholders' meeting of the Sharp Mill was enlivened by severe criticism of the management of Arthur R. Sharp, the treasurer, and a small coterie of stockholders' meeting of the Sharp Mill was enlivened by severe criticism of the management of Arthur R. Sharp, the treasurer of two large cotton manufacturing corporations at the same time, the Hamilton Mills of Lowell and the Sharp Manufacturing to manufacturing company of New Bedford, was objectionable. Mr. Sharp was returned, as treasurer

Earnings of Various Mills Earnings of Various Mills

The Sharp Manufacturing Company is not now paying dividends on either preferred or common stock, but during 1923 paid the regular preferred dividends of 6 per cent, and also two dividends of 31 a share each on the common stock. The plant, which comprises two mills, containing in all about 200,000 spindles, is being operated at approximately 50 per cent of normal capacity. The mill is installing 500 Draper automatic looms for the purpose of using some of its own yarn output.

At the annual stockholders' meeting

output.

At the annual stockholders' meeting of the Quissett Mill, gross earnings of \$11.45 a share on the common after allowing for the preferred dividend were shown, but this figure does not make any allowance for depreciation.

The financial report of the Holmes Manufacturing Company indicated earnings of slightly more than \$22 a share on the common after allowing for 8 per cent dividends on the preferred stock of the company, but this is before making any deductions for depreciation.

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The financial statement of the Whitman Mills indicated earnings of slightly nore than \$29 a share before making any deductions for depreciation. Dividends of 11½ per cent were paid dur-

dends of 11½ per cent were paid during the year.

The financial statement of the Gosnold Mills indicated earnings of a little more than \$30 a share on the common after allowing for 6 per cent dividends on the preferred stock, but before making any provision for depreciation.

GENERAL MOTORS

EARNINGS LARGER The preliminary report of General Motors Corporation for the year ended Dec. 31, 1923 (11 months actual, December estimated) compared with the year 1922 shows as follows:

S. S. KRESGE COMPANY SALES

DETROIT, Feb. 7—S. S. Kresge sales for January were \$5,458,794 compared with \$4,929,364 last year, an increase of 10.7 per cent. EXPORT RUBBER MARKETS WASHINGTON. Feb. 7—The total value of exports of rubber goods from the United States in 1923 was \$36,572,170, a gain of \$2,962,862 over the 1922 value.

STEEL CAR ORDER PLACED Fruit Growers Express Company has placed an order for 500 additional steel underframes for cars with the Western Steel Car & Foundry Company.

or of opportunity, a strong banking connection will prove itself invaluable to the business The One Hundred and Thirty-two years' experience of the National Union Bank in advising and co-operating with the leading business institutions of New England has gained for it a reputation for conservatism and stability which today is unsurpassed. By means of the information derived from our records, which have been carefully and thoroughly compiled, or through the medium of a special study by a competent per-sonnel, we are prepared, at all times, to render valuable service to the manufacturers and merchants of New England. National Union Bank 209 Washington Street Boston The Oldest Bank in Massachusetts

SMALLER EARNINGS

The Mullins Body Corporation re ports for the year ended Dec. 31, 1923, net before taxes but after preferred dividends, of \$28,602, equal to 28 cents a share on the 100,000 no-par common shares outstanding, which compares with a net after all charges in 1922 of \$35,673, or 35 cents a share.

The income account for the year ended Dec. 31, 1923, compares:

ended Dec. 31, 1923, compares:	
1923	1922
Net sales\$3,486.805	\$2,144,47
Gross profit 248,442	339.18
Admin expenses, etc., 204,519	211.92
Oper income 43,925	127,26
Other income 101.897	127.26
Total income 145,822	
Int and discount 39,620	10,95
Net profit for year 106,202	116,30
x Federal taxes 13,389	3,03
Preferred divs 77,600	77,60
Surplus 15,213	85,67

x Previous years. *Loss. †Deficit. Current assets Dec. 31, 1923 were \$1,500,486, compared with \$1,134,891 in 1922 and current liabilities \$1,082,499, compared with \$714,117 leaving net working capital of \$417,987 contrasted with \$420,774 in 1922.

FRENCH RAILROAD EARNINGS

CRUDE OIL PRICE ADVANCE NEW YORK, Feb. 7.—The Standard Oil of Louisiana and Texas Company advanced north Louisiana and south Arkansas crude oil 20 cents a barrel.

FOR MULLINS BODY

ELECTRIC POWER OUTPUT WASHINGTON. Feb. 7—Geological Survey reports that during December. 1923, public utility power plants produced 4,946,562,000 kilowatt-hours of electricitys of which 3,257,445,000 kilowatt-hours were produced by fuels and 1,689,117,000 by water power.

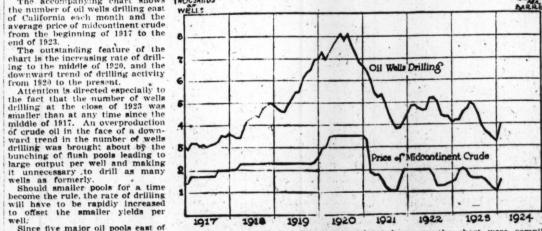
PARIS, Feb. 7—In 1923 the main French railroad systems earned nearly 400,000,000 francs more than in 1922, while 1922 showed an excess of about 500,000,000 over 1921.

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OIL PRICES RISE AS OUTPUT FALLS

The accompanying chart shows the number of oil wells drilling east of California each month and the average price of midcontinent crude from the beginning of 1917 to the end of 1923. The outstanding feature of the



well:
Since five major oil pools east of
California were brought to their peak of production in 1923,
it is probable that drilling activity will have to be rapidly increased in 1824 to offired the further decline of these pools.
The number of wells now drilling is distinctly subnormal,

The drilling data shown on the chart were compiled from the files of the Oil and Gas Journal and plotted by Joseph E. Pogue.

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WOOL GROWERS OF ARIZONA AIM TO MARKET OWN CROP

Association Will Sell State's 8,000,000 Pounds Through

PHOENIX, Ariz., Jan. 30 (Specia! Correspondence)—The Arizona Wool Growers Association has voted to support a plan under which the State's 8,000,000 pounds of wool will be marketed through Los Angeles, instead of being shipped directly to Boston. In

the Pacific Coast city is to be est lished a great warehouse for storage, grading and sale of wools from Arizona, southern Utah, Nevada and Southern California. For the present, transportation thence will be by water, through the Panama Canal, probably by the manufacturers.

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Under the new plan, as A. A. Johns, president of the association says, "We will not need to sell at once, for we will get 75 per cent advances through the Federal Reserve Bank. We will gain at least a cent by the water shipment and, I believe, will gain at least another cent per pound by the new method of sale and by the ability to hold till the market is in condition to receive fresh wool supplies. Our assoreceive fresh wool supplies. Our association will function as the marketing

In Los Angeles has been organized a \$2,000,000 corporation, the Pioneer Pacific Worsted Mills, which is plan-Pacific Worsted Mills, which is planning early construction of a plant with capacity for handling 5,000,000 pounds of wool per annum. Its directors are H. L. Gardner of Maine, Harry L. Chandler, principal owner of the Los Angeles Times, J. D. Fredericks, Congressman from the Los Angeles district, William Lacy, president of the Los Angeles Chamber of Commerce, F. J. Hagenbarth, president of the National Wool Growers Association, and L. E. Coburn of Los Angeles. It is understood that this is to be the first cloth goods factory on the west coast. goods factory on the west coast.

LOWELL ELECTRIC LIGHT 188UE Stockholders of Lowell Electric Light Corporation (a Stone & Webster company) at the annual meeting, voted to increase capital stock by 4415 shares of \$100 par, the proceeds to retire floating indebtedness incurred in making improvements to plant. About \$760,000 has been expended for capital purposes against which no shares have been issued. The new issue, which will be offered to stockholders at \$160 per share, will bring capitalization up to \$3,091,500. LOWELL ELECTRIC LIGHT ISSUE

RAILROAD BUILDS OWN CARS DETROIT, Feb. 7.—Pere Marquette has started production in its own shops of 300 refrigerator cars, to cost approximately \$1,000,000. Wyoming shops at Grand Ra-pids will build 150 cars, and the same number will be turned out at Saginaw.

CENTRAL AGUIRRE SUGAR The mills of the Central Aguirre Sugar Company have produced this season to date 60,000 odd bags of sugar. All this output has been sold, representing two cargoes.

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MCGILL MOVES UP IN HOCKEY TABLE

Montreal in Canadian Intercollegiate Championship Series

INTERCOLLEGIATE BENIOR HOCKEY

The final score was Drage 24. The Black and Old Gold warriors took an early lead in the game when I. E. Buckner '25 placed a field goal in the basket with a five-man offensive working smoothly. The Black and Old Gold team forged into the lead, and at one time held a margin of seven points.

The next appearance of Kansas and Washington will also attract attention, as the first game last night was close enough to show that there is very the Blue and White began to find the to choose between the two fives. For its next opponent Kansas is to have well as the first game last night was close enough to show that there is very the Blue and White began to find the first game last night was close enough to show that there is very the Blue and White began to find the first game last night was close enough to show that there is very the Blue and White began to find the first game last night was close enough to show that there is very the Blue and White began to find the first game as the first game as the first game last night was close enough to show that there is very the blue and White began to find the first game last night was close enough to show that there is very the first game last night was close enough to show that there is very the first game last night was close enough to show that there is very the first game last night was close enough to show that there is very the first game last night was close enough to show that there is very the first game last night was close enough to show that there is very the first game last night was close enough to show that there is very the first game last night was close enough to show that there is very the first game last night was close enough to show that there is very the first game last night was close enough to show that there is very the first game last night was close enough to show that there is very the first game last night was close enough to show that the first game last night was close enough to show that the first game last night was close enough to show that

BUSY WEEK FOR BASKETBALL FIVES IN MISSOURI VALLEY

Displays Fine Work in Defeating Eight Games to Be Played During Next Seven Days-Kansas Still Unbeaten

in the basket with a memory working smoothly. The Black and one time held a margin of seven points.

The Blue and White began to find the basket, and the Missouri lead was cut down. Near the end of the first period C. J. Everett '27 found himself and placed three consecutive field goals through the ring, which gave Drake a two-point lead. The score at the close of the first half was Drake 15, Missouri 13.

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YALE GIVES PROMISE OF RENEWED POLO SUCCESS

NEW HAVEN, Conn.. Feb. 7 (Special)—After a most successful season last year, Yale's fourth year of pony polo promises to be another successful one as interest in the sport is even greater than in previous years. Chances of another intercollegiate indoor and many things year. In the games already played the Elis have met with satisfactory success. Tomorrow they will met Harvard varsity and the 101st Field Artillery in a polo round robin in Boston and the Blue is especially anxious to defeat both teams, as the 101st defeated them the last time they met in Boston by the narrow margin of half-a-point.

Maj. A. V. Arnold, who succeeds Maj. R. E. D. Hoyle, is in charge of the coaching at Yale. He is ably assisted by Captain McBride, who will have charge of the freshman squad. Major Arnold is taking over the work where Major Hoyle was forced to leave off by being transferred to another post. Under the latter intercollegiate polo as a whole and especially at Yale made great strides. Major Arnold has the same interest in polo as the former major and the interest of these two men more than anything else is the factor that has made intercollegiate polo possible.

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M. V. CONFERENCE BASKETBALL

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KITCHENER ADVANCES

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The local Twin-City Club improved its position in No. 1 group of the Senior Ontario Hockey Association last evening by defeating Aura Lee of Toronto, the second-place team, 5 to 3. The score was tied 2-all at the end of the first period and there was no scoring in the second, but the locals were the stronger in the final 20 minutes.

HARVARD ATHLETE RETURNS E. I. Gherke, former Harvard baseball and football star, will take up his studies again at that college next Monday. His services, however, will not be available to the baseball team this spring, but it is expected that he will report for football next fall:

Kahanamoku to Meet Weissmuller in April

Chicago, Feb. 7
BATTLE of human fishes is A BATTLE of human fishes is expected when D. P. Kahanamohu, famous Hawailan swimmer, meets John Weissmuller, local water star, at the National Indoor swimming championships here April 1. 2. 3 and 4.

For the first time the two most famous men of swimming competition will meet in the 100-yard free-style championship. That is the Hawaii-nn's favorite distance, and one at which he has never met with a setback in major competition.

SEATTLE HOLDS LEAGUE POSITION

Victoria Receives 8-to-1 Defeat in Attempting to Tie Leaders

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Agnes Geraghty of New York set her second Americañ breast-stroke mark in the meet when she swam the 200-meter event in 3m. 35 2-5s. Dorothy Waters held the former American record, 2m. 58 4-5s. The world's mark is 3m. 31 2-5s.

DR. FAUVER WILL STAY

MIDDLETOWN, Conn. Feb. 7-Dr. Edgar Fauver, director of physical education at Wesleysan University, has withdrawn his resignation in a letter to Acting President Holland. The letter attated that the resolutions of the aculty supported his work and the resolution passed by the board of trustees in New York showed that the trustees not only committed themselves to faculty control of athletics, but that they had no idea of changing the present policy.

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Ottawa Clinches Lead COLLEGE VS. CLUB in N. H. League

Wins Over Canadiens, 4 to 0, and Is Sure of Playoff

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NEW HAVEN, Conn. Feb. 7—Bowling has been officially recognized as a minor sport at Yale, and yesterday was made a unit of the Yale University Athletic Association. An intercollegiate league has been formed comprising Yale, University of Kentucky, University of Michigan, Syracuse University, Rensselaer Polytechnic Institute, and University of Minesota, and will get under way next Wednesday night when the first scheduled games will be played. The pairings will be-Yale vs. Minnesota, Kentucky, va. Michigan, and R. P. I. vs. Syracuse. The matches will be telegraphic.

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Michigan vs. Yale; R. P. I. vs. Minnesota,
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12—Kentucky vs. Yale; Michigan vs.
R. P. I.; Syracuse vs. Minnesota.
The second round will be a repetition
of the first, starting March 19, and ending April 10.

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The Yale 1916 team won the intercollegiate championship in a tournament
rolled on the Yale alleys, and since
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BRITISHERS PLAY THE SECOND HALF

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Syracuse University baseball team for the last two years an athlete whose services have been sought by four major league clubs, was today dropped from Syracuse University LoS ANGELES. Feb. 7—Samuel Craw chandleaped by penalties; but the lotation of the control of the control

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ence)—Signor Mussolini's Labor poleciforts to strengthen the respective cly is reaping the first visible results, organizations of business and Labor and the reconciliation of apparently irreconcilable elements is an accomplished fact. His main effort since he attained power has been to unite Capital and Labor—to restore to the former its lost freedom, and to assure to the latter propers and interest restore to the former its lost freedom, and to assure to the latter propers and interest restore to the latter propers and interest restore to the latter propers and interest restore the latter propers and Labor. to the latter proper and just working conditions. His object was to attain a real permanent pacification and harmonious collaboration of all classes. The Russian doctrines no longer impress the Italian proletariat, though they found an easy way into though they found an easy way into Italy by the intensive propaganda of the "Red" leaders, that the union of workmen was to be encouraged, in order to maintain advantages gained, and to acquire mastership and control of national industries.

A Historic Meeting
A meeting which Signor Mussolini
himself described as historic was reTabriz.
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The Shah's work and influence is ended, states M. F. Rust, director of the states M. F. Rust, director of the Near East Relief in Persia. All industries, Signor Benni, met the president of the Fascist Trade-Industries, Signor Benni, met the president of the Fascist Trade-by Riza Kahn, the Mustapha Kemal of Unions, Signor Rossoni, to lay the foundations of that policy of co-operation between Capital and Labor which the national Government considers essential to economic prosperity. The Premier acid. Premier said:

I do not know whether in our history there has ever been such a meeting as this, in which all the productive forces of the Nation meet under the chairmanship of the head of the Government. The resolution you are about to adopt summarizes the economic doctrine of Fascismo. It is certifia, that the Pussica carriers. the economic doctrine of Fascismo. It is certain that the Russian experiment on the one hand and the Fascist example on the other has exercised a deep influence on the psychology of the masses. The fallacy of Marxism is to presume that there are only two classes, and that these two classes are necessarily and constantly in conflict. Conflict there may be, but of a transitory and not a systemic nature. The systemic antagonism of Labor and Capital on which Socialism has based all its theory is a proved fallacy. On the contrary, co-operation between Capital and Labor is a matter of daily experience. There is a limit both to the claims of Capital and to those of Labor. Capital under penalty of sulcide cannot go beyond a certain possibilities of Labor, and, on the other hand. Labor cannot go beyond certain possibilities of Capital.

United Front Necessary is certain that the Russian experi-

United Front Necessary

Productivity is the basis of our national prosperity, and there must therefore be close harmony between the laborers and the givers of labor. Different rules must apply to different industries. Agriculture, for example, cannot be treated in the same way as manufacturers. But all must live and prosper. The Nation must present a united front between Labor and Capital, between talent and enterprise. Trade-unions must look facts in the face and avoid straining issues to the breaking point. Class warfare in human society is the one thing most to be avoided, and conflicts must not be converted into systems. Moreover, above the legitimate conflict of interests is the authority of the Government, which is in a position to view the situation systems. Moreover, above the legitimate conflict of interests is the authority of the Government, which is in a position to view the situation as a whole, inasmuch as it summarizes the political conscience of the Nation and looks not only to the present but to the future. It will accomplish its mission to the end: It will defend the highest moral and material interests of the Nation.

Before the close of the meeting a resolution was passed calling on both

ROME, Jan. 23 (Special Correspond- | confederations to intensify their

PERSIAN NATION LIKE RIZA KHAN

Shah, Now in France, Not Expected to Return to Country

TABRIZ, Persia, Jan. 5 (Special Correspondence)—That Ahmed Khan, the Shah of Persia, who is now in France with his father, Muhammad Ali Kahn, will not return to his coun-

classes. Persia is not as strongly anti-Russian as recent reports from Teheran would indicate. The country is flooded with Russian-made goods. importations, together German stocks brought into the country through Russia, are driving out

The real market for Tabriz is the United States. Local firms with American connections are buying up \$100,000 worth of rugs and other products weekly to be shipped to New

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Of the essayist we ask only that he be at all times completely himself. He is the man who has written on the linour hearts go out to him in a gush of brotherly love and understanding? And even if he be very learned or very wise, we do not hold the fact against him unless he strives to make us do so —but that, of course, no true essayist would do. More than any other kind, of writer, he is his render's friend, the sort of friend for whom we are eager to make allowances and to forgive unto seventy times seven. So long as he remains himself and does not preach, holding fast to his sense of the wonderful variety and multiplicity of human life, and so never attempt ing to make us like himself, we are glad to take him as he is. + + +

And therefore—although I know that the poet, the playwright, and the novelist do their work with joy, and could not do it at all, indeed, without that joy which is every maker's ex-ceeding great reward-I cannot but think that the familiar essayist is the happiest man in all the great fraternity of letters.

definite errands to run, goals to reach. messages to deliver, but the essayist is simply out for a stroll. He knows and feels, and he makes his readers

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is the man who has written on the lintel of his doorpost "Whim," and no man wishes that he would erase it. When we take his book from the shelf we are content that his caprice should be for the time being our law, the willot-the-wisp of his fancy our guiding star. If he has more than one man's share of human imperfections, do not our hearts go out to him in a gush of stars of his task before he hearing the man who has written on the line straight lines. He has finished a great part of his task before he hearing great part of his task before he begins to write. But the essayist does not fully know what sort of thing he has been working at until he is through. His best things are as surprising to him, no doubt, as they are to his readers—shining bits of treasure-trove

picked up along his way.

Or this, at any rate, is how things should be; this is how they were in the golden days of the essay when Charles Lamb stood at the erratic tiller and Leigh Hunt trimmed the sails. But I sometimes think that nowadays our essayists are losing their "divine inconsequence" and at-tending too strictly to business. That is, they are writing articles, treatises, theses, but not essays. If one of them sets down "Old China" as his topic, the odds are that he will write about nothing else, so that we are defrauded of what he might have said about his family relations and the methods of house heating in Kamchatka. And this is a great loss. Somewhere, surely, in our literature, there should be "What more felicity can fall to creature," said Edmund Spenser very wisely, and John Keats after him. "than to enjoy delight with liberty!" Other literary travelers have always college instructors in composition, not college instructors in composition, not to write too well. "Unity," "mass," and "coherence," those fetishes of the mere rhetorician, do not concern the We must see to it that the charm of the fragment, of the torso, of irregularity, is not completely sub-merged beneath the tide of textbooks. The business of writing is one thing, and the art of writing quite another.

> After all, I think that so human and happy a person as the essayist is likely to survive. He is a man who likely to survive. He is a man who is interested in everything but excited held my hand, looked at me with about nothing. The world exists as his spectacle, and all is grist that comes to his mill. He has ideas in plenty, but no opinions. His work is done not like that of the busy bee, the special of the special read of the special fly, glad of the sunshine, flapping lightly from flower to flower.

Carving a Netsuke

He counts not time nor thinks to say The working hours are done: He studies not the sun To know if he shall put away The ivory, or bone, or jade and go to

work and play's mask, Or flower he strives to make For its own perfect sake.

He troubles not, nor stops to ask
What of his life shall go to filling of

The masterplece that fires his thought-Perfection in its kind— Absorbs that Nippon mind. A year's not long: a week's not short If worthy of his dream the slim

the task.

splinter shall be wrought. -Eden Phillpotts, in "Cherry Stones"

From a Grandmother's Book

When the carriage which contained our old friend had disappeared from our view, Mrs. Bloomfield took each of us by the hand, and leading us upstairs, introduced us into a large room fitted up as a schoolroom, when she caused us to embrace our young companions, while, with the tear of benevolence trembling in her eye, she pronounced a blessing upon us, as we stood all grouped together. "And now, my Lucilla, and Amelia, and all of you, my dears," said she, "put on your bonnets, and take your workbaskets, and let us go to our favourite baskets, and let us go to our favourite bower. Where are the books, cousin Agnes?" she added, looking at the young lady, whom I truly supposed to be a sort of teacher; "the evening is pleasant, and we will hope for another happy afternoon in the danother happy afternoon in the firmament showeth his handing the firmament showeth his handing the firmament showeth his handing to complete the supposed to their music?" said Mrs. Bloomfield.

"The heavens declare the glory of the early summer's blooming. Not a rich, heavy headed beauty of the hothouse, but a crisp, spicy blossom such the firmament showeth his handing as blesses the year but once in its woods; I have directed the servant where to find us." A kind of thrill of delight seemed as it were to elec-trify every young frame as the excel-lent lady spoke; and as the young people hastened to prepare for the proposed expedition, I heard exclaproposed expedition, I heard exclamations of joy on all sides, and was not a little surprised to see Rosa and Maria loading themselves each with all this?" asked Mrs. Bloomfeld. My

however shadowy and embowered on each side, admitted at intervals inviting glimpses or bills still higher than that on which we then were, and shades still thicker and still more attractive; the air in the mean time being perfumed with the edour of many flowers, and rendered melodious by the song of many birds at length, through a slight wicket, we passed from the shrubbery upon a gravity terrace, flanked on one side by woods frising above woods, and here and there opening into green lawns and glades, and on the others by a deep valley, whose various beauties I should

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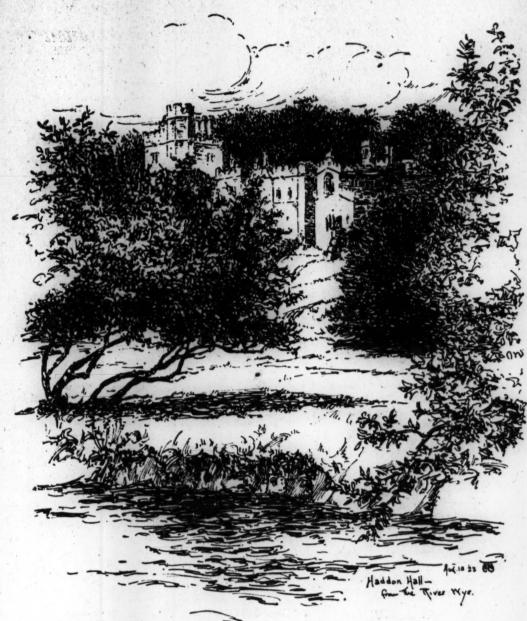
In the profoundest ocean. It is always there, shining most stilly under the greatest storm waves. And under the happy little waves that the old Greek called "ripples of laughter."

As you listen, the rainbow shell Sings—in the profoundest ocean. It is always there, singing most silently!

—Katherine Mansfield, 1912.

discerned the green rim of April en-fold the village. Then May with its tender offerings of exquisite bloom springing here and there in its young, young grass, and the kindly south wind that whispered in the swiftly un-folding shrubbery, and that seemed to pat this little leaf and shake out that one as though prinking them for the great occasion of springtime. And now June, with this royal heraid, announced its radiant presence.

Not alone the rose glorified my wee chamber with its fragrance, but the



Haddon Hall, From the River Wye. From a Drawing by Elizabeth Warren

us to sit down, while she took a cen-

us to sit down, while she took a cen-tral position, and every one immedi-ately took her work from her bag. "And now," said she, "Agnes, where are our books? but before you begin, let us all sit still a few moments to listen to the music—our new friends are now introduced into one of our withdrawing rooms, and I doubt not that they admire it in no ordinary degree: let them have the advantage of hearing the concert which is prepared for us, without interruption."

A smile spread itself over each lively
youthful face as Mrs. Bloomfield spoke, and Rosa lifted up her small finger, and looking archly at me, stood in an attitude of deep attention; I was really so stupid that I expected to hear a violin, or perhaps some notes of a flut; I was, therefore, thoroughly puzzled, when no such sounds having met my ear, little Rosa whispered. "Do you hear Miss Tile." spoke, and Rosa lifted up her small whispered, "Do you hear, Miss Ellen—do you hear?"—"No." I replied, "No, I hear no music." "But I do," subjoined Sophia, "I do; I hear sweet music, and there are many musicians

music, and there are many musicians and many instruments."

I stared at my sister, and Mrs.
Bloomfield, smiling, said, "And can you tell me what sort of musicians these are, dear?"

"Oh! they have many instruments, and various notes, ma'am," she replied. "but they produce sweet melody and make no confusion—every creature has its note—the sweet birds in the has its note—the sweet birds in the trees, and the lambs on the opposite hill, express the higher notes; and the waters which fall from those stones, and the wind in the tops of the trees, express the lower notes; and I know the subject of their har-mony, ma'am,"—and as she spoke, she blushed deeply, for all eyes were upon

this speech had on the whole com-pany; tears started in the eyes of many present, and Amelia Bloomfield.

THOSE who have never visited and sheltering nests and indetermi-Haddon Hall may not believe nate madrigals of countless bird songs what is so obvious to those who have-that here is one favored corner company then present; our walk con-tinued, it might be, for a quarter of When you have left behind the little done not like that of the busy bee, it might be, for a quarter of dominated by thoughts of the hive and dominated by thoughts of the hive and flying always in straight lines, but rather like that of the painted butter
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The dominated by thoughts of the hive and little spot of most rare beauty, a kind of verdant circle beneath a wide of verd tinued, it might be, the castle entrance, dates are all the composed of ciphers, centuries play mischievous games and skip across the room into opposite chairs. You have fallen trees formed several contact and the castle entrance, dates are all the castle entrance, dates are all the castle entrance. are no longer in the twentieth century, but the sixteenth. Dorothy Vernon might have fled the length of the terrace beneath the beeches, down the moss-green steps, only yesterday You are ready to plead her cause against any and all who refer to her hasty departure from the ballroom as "a fabrication of the eighteenth century."

At Haddon Hall her personality is a vivid as the more tangible.

every bit as vivid as the more tangible brick and stone and turf. For are you not walking along uneven passages through naved courts, under Tudor portals into the very paneled rooms which Dorothy Vernon knew? Nothing seems altered. The damasks may be faded and musty, the pews in the chapel gray with age, yet the uncertain English sunshine casts occasional shadows, faintly red and blue and purple, through the same painted with armorial It needs but the flicker of casements an eyelash and-presto! back troop all the banquet guests, a gorgeously appareled crowd of them. You see the solemn procession of servants carrying the dishes aloft at arms length; you hear the scrapings of the musicians, preparing for the dance; then you watch intently for Dorothy's escape—when all at once: "This way, please, ladies and gentlemen," prattles the guide. Well, be rid of the guide at any cost. Go at a late hour, in a season unpopular with tourists; get Haddon Hall to yourself for one-half hour, if you would see history half hour, if you would see history dissolve into the tissue of the moment.

Two Memory Pictures

—the season of joy and mirth and beauty past understanding was there. I shall never forget the ecstasy of that hour.

ged and dreary the night be-found it unblemished and in a great, wide whiteness.

"Yes, I know I am distinguished, but At last, persuaded by my friend, I agreed to "do a Ruskin," and so I came at once and permanently under symmetry; the long line of the fence was cushioned thickly in ermine; the pillared trees were carved of flaw-less marble. No thing mean or com-mon remained in all the realm. Every left-hand door of the science theatre-softly, rather deprecatingly, under our branch and twig and forlorn stalk of weed was etched in exquisite white. Clustered shrubs had become smoothly thly applause. For we always applauded it-his appearance, and when a scholar next to me once grumbled, "Why apself was a carpet tufted deep. An exalted silence, as of that following a delicate and comprehensive task perfectly and delightfully done, lay

round about.
The tranquil, sparkling landscape soon became merely that of a splendid snowy day in winter, but the picture of that glittering dawning, when all the world seemed pure, spotless, and mil-lennial, is with me still a cherished far beyond the appointed hour. Upon me the humour, the !rony and flashes

Ruskin at Oxford

Among my friend's many other services, second, but only second to this gift of courage and expansion of heart, was his revelation to me of beauty in language and the highest forms of art. . . . And then there was pictorial art. I had learnt a good deal about the English school of landscape from my father's small collection of pictures.

and had myself taken the utmost de-light in drawing. . . Now to the high-est forms of art my eyes were opened. and for many years they counted among my chief delights. "Art" was much the fashion in the Oxford of those days—the days of the "æsthetic movement"—but just for that very reason I had been inclined to sneer at the talk about it as either effemi-nate or priggish. With the same in-sensate or sensible crudity I had neglected to attend the courses of lec-tures which Ruskin was then giving in the theatre of the Parks Museum. In the days when I went to chapel I used to watch that strange figure pass up the pavement of the choir. which round. My mother found it to me in the morning and placed it againt my flushed cheek as I slept. My eyes flew wide—and wider at the miracle of it. My heart leaped up and my breath came fast with the realization of the mutual arrival of the flushes and the search bett of the flushes and the search bett of the same and the same an the flower and the season, both of surplices like angels, Ruskin used to which I had long awaited with eager sit in a stall behind the row of expectancy. all this?" asked Mrs. Bloomfield. My sister seemed as much surprised as I sions, in addition to their work-bashets.

As soon as the bustle of preparation was over, the young party descended the stairs, headed by their governess, and proceeded very orderly through a beautiful shrubbery, which, Hyacinth."

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Mutual Comfort

sistency was recently observed in songs of birds. a street car. A passenger had

In daily intercourse with one's felenable one to see and supply. A busy gift of reflection is bestowed upon all street, and had gone quickly past the permanent comfort to be found. Bestationary figure of a bent and rather cause of its ignorance of God as Love. poorly clad woman. Fancying that selfishness is inherent in the human this woman had accosted her, the mind. In human experiences selfishshopper, albeit a little reluctant to be ness seems to take the line of least delayed, turned about, and found that resistance and, because of its direct all the woman needed was an arm to contradiction of divine Love, selfishhelp her up a few yards of steep pave-who is induiging it, nor to those with ment. She seemed relieved and grati-whom he is associating. Happiness is fled by this small act of kindness, and won by learning to express one's highsaid that for half an hour she had est, God-derived individuality. When been vainly trying to attract the at- running counter to this true individutention of the passers-by, but all had ality, happiness and comfort are temhurried heedlessly on. Inspired by porarily lost sight of. Individuals are loving-kindness, courtesy can become the purpose of parading their worries, habitual. It is certain that the passers- discords, fears for the future or regrets by would all have gladly met this for the past; and they sometimes stubwoman's simple need, had not selfish- bornly refuse to admit the possibility ness caused them to overlook it. Even of any remedy for their trouble. Then, such a trivial service as passing the instead of one depressed person, besalt to one's neighbor at table is worth hold two! There is a saying, "Talk doing, without waiting to be reminded of it. As for those deeper needs which lie far below the surface, these can be conversation is thereby magnified; and discerned only through the more selfless reflection of divine Love. In "Science tures" (p. 518) Mrs. Eddy says. ing his own in another's good." Loving watchfulness alone enables one to see the need; and only the reflection of divine Love can supply that need.

Christian Science teaches that each one, without exception, is privileged a word in season to him that is weary." and quality, it will be freely expressed. shyness are broken down, and the lov- ourselves are comforted of God."

the enchantment of that magical per-sonality. I can still see the shyly

conspicuous figure entering from the

plaud? We never applaud other pro-fessors," I could only reply, "We have no need." After glancing at the

row of drawings—usually Turner's or his own—arranged to illustrate the lecture, he would turn to face us with

those blue and meditative eyes, and then begin to speak. Many have de-scribed that singular and penetrating

voice, holding the audience spellbound

of satire made the deepest impres-

sion, though beyond these lay the penetrating vision, the depth of thought and the passion of indignation

thought and the passion of indignation which raised his lectures far above the religious height of the most solemn services I have heard. Recalling the effect, I once wrote in the "Daily Chronicle":

"I well remember how in the last

lecture of one course he so over-whelmed us all with solemn awe that

when he closed his book no one moved

or spoke. We sat there absolutely silent. We no more thought of the usual applause than we should have

thought of clapping an angel's song that makes the heavens be mute. After a few seconds Ruskin looked

up as though surprised. Then, seeing what was the matter, he turned to

the drawings, made a few casual re

marks about them, bringing us back to this present world, and disappeared.

The applause broke like a storm."-

Lacemakers

Written for The Christian Science Monito Lacemakers were about last night— The evidence is plain, They left such dainty samples

On shrubbery and grass— I stay within—a captive— Lest I mar them as I pass.

So delicate their handlwork.

So fragile and so rare!

A breath—my precious samples
Have vanished into air.

Caroline Lawrence Dier.

SOMEWHAT humorous incon- ing words come as naturally as the

Does not everyone who walks along ensconced herself in a sent intended the street have an equal share in the for two, leaving a bare third of the sunshine, the breeze, and the great space for her neighbor. Into this blue sky overhead? In hut and palace space the writer wedged herself, and equally, the sun shines into every unvery spirit of the season of blue and then noticed, not without amusement, blinded window. To open our own gold and emerald, of fluttering wings that the lady was engrossed in reading a religious pamphlet, entitled "Mutual our brothers to open theirs, is the right purpose of daily life.

Christian Science makes it plain lows, there are many differing needs that there is no personal merit in exwhich mutual watchfulness alone can pressing the divine nature; for the shopper was once hurrying along the alike; and only in reflection of God is ness affords comfort neither to the one about trouble, sure to see double. Whatever is most in our thought and

when joy is shared, it also is doubled. A matrimonial axiom by a famous and Health with Key to the Scrip- novelist reads thus: "Never both be cross at the same time." If this whole-"Blessed is that man who seeth his some, peace-making rule were ob-brother's need and supplieth it, seekvery far, for the ball of sharp repartee falls to the ground when anger ceases to fling it back and forth. should seek to contribute to one another's comfort rather than to their discomfort. They should not exchange to feel this compassion, and to "speak vinegar, but oil; for the oil of gladness, kindness, and mutual considera-A belief of personal reserve is apt to tion allays friction both in business argue that we are too shy and self-conscious to express the kindness Whatever each one's sphere of occuwhich is being felt. But when divine pation may be, it can be ennobled and Love is seen to be infinite in quantity sweetened through the practice of the Golden Rule, whereby "we may be not suppressed. When there is love able to comfort them which are in any enough, the barriers of reserve and trouble, by the comfort wherewith we

order; the bright grey, nearly blue eyes, usually quiet and meditative under tawny and projecting eyebrows; SCIENCE the eagle nose, the long and sensi-tive mouth, the rather receding chin; the whole face thin, well-wrinkled. and then still clean-shaven; the bright blue necktie wound two or three times **HEALTH** round an upstanding collar, not hangover the shirt-front, but ing down over the shirt-f fastened by some invisible fastened by some invisible pin; the head inclined a little to the left, ow-With Key to ing to the draughtsman's habit of raising the left shoulder; the loose and unfashionable clothes, partly concealed by the long gown; the whole bearing shy, and showing just a touch

the Scriptures

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EDITORIALS

It seems more than a coincidence that Nicolai Lenine should have passed from human sight and that Ramsay MacDonald should have formed

Two Opposite Extremes of Socialism MacDonald should have formed the first Labor Ministry in Britain on the same day. Both have been lifelong Socialists. Both have suffered much for their convictions. Both came to power by what seemed a sudden and unexpected turn of fortune. But

the two men represent the opposite extremes of the political and economic movement known as Socialism. Socialism is the conscious protest against the industrial serfdom of the many and the arbitrary exercise of economic power by the few, which has been one of the products of the industrial revolution and the growth of modern capital-ism. It sees in the poverty of the masses and the excessive wealth of the few, in the chronic fiability to unemployment and bad housing which besets the poor, in the vehemence of the modern commercial competition and the widespread passion for piling up material wealth, evils of society which are due to the social system itselfto the system of permitting the unrestricted ownership of land and industrial property in private hands. It believes that these evils can only be remedied by some form of collective ownership and management. On this fundamental point Lenine and MacDonald would agree. On the question of how their ideal was to be attained they have been as the poles apart.

Lenine was always the leader and champion of the policy of extremes. Perhaps because of his early experiences under the Tsarist Government, when his brother was executed for revolutionary conspiracy, he always stood for the use of force and against the school which advocated the methods of the peaceful conversion of public opinion by argument and persuasion. He was opposed to democracy not because he did not want to help the people, but because he despised what he considered their ignorance and stupidity, and believed that it would never be possible to carry through the true Marxian or Communist revolution by democratic means. He stood uncompromisingly for destroying capitalism-to him the root of all economic evil-by the dictatorship of the proletariat, that is to say, the dictatorship of the party of the Communists, exercised ruthlessly and without any form of genuine popular control, in the interests

Ramsay MacDonald, on the other hand, has always stood for moderation and constitutionalism. That he is opposed to imposing reforms by force may be seen from his resolute pacificism throughout the Great War. He believes that it is possible to convert a majority of his fellow countrymen to the ideals of Socialism by reasonable ways. He does not believe that any change which could be wrought in the economic structure of society would work or survive unless it had the intelligent support of a majority of the people. He is a thorough and convinced believer in democracy, and has used extreme moderation in choosing the members of his Government. It is manifest that he hopes to achieve the transformation of the existing economic order only by gradual and orderly steps, each of which has won the support of a majority of the people.

There can be no doubt which of the two men and the two methods is the wiser. If there is truth in the Socialist solution of modern industrial ills, it must gradually convince all right-thinking men and women, and they will sustain it. If there is not they will definitely make up their minds against it, and they will overturn it. Lenine has imposed his ideals on Russia at a fearful cost, in suffering, in terrorism, in the destruction of independence and freedom of thought, in the interruption of democratic progress. It is quite uncertain whether the system he has built up, already profoundly modified because the people were not able to live up to Communist ideals of public service, will survive now that his masterful hand has been removed. It may be that—as in the case of the French Revolution-much of his work will be undone by an eventual counter-revolution. It is certainly significant that at the very moment when the principal champion of revolution by violence has passed away, the leader of that form of Socialism which believes in constitutional and democratic methods should advance to power.

From a comparatively unimportant beginning there has developed in Washington, as a result of the investi-

In the Revealing Light of Facts gation of a former Cabinet officer's alleged connection with questionable transactions affecting the United States oil reserves, what promise to be farreaching disclosures of official and semiofficial interference in the conduct of affairs in which

politicians and officeholders, as such, can participate only at the risk of subjecting themselves to just censure and condemnation. The great mining district at Tonopah, Nev., is said to have been discovered when a mule, resenting some real or fancied indignity, kicked at its master and inadvertently displayed an outcropping of rich ore. The present revelations may, in the minds of some, offer an interesting and possibly amusing parallel.

Those fairly familiar with the ways which have been followed by adroit politicians who have sought to enrich themselves through the influence they are able to exert because of present or past affiliation with the administrative governmental machinery, have been aware of the fact that neither political party claimed to monopolize the allegiance of these ambitious fortune-hunters.

The taint of oil from the Teapot Dome and California leaseholds threatens to discolor the hands of many who perhaps have hoped against hope that those in search of the facts would be satisfied if the guilt of one or two offenders could be proved. Money has flowed freely, according to the testimony of Edward L. Doheny. Per-

haps Mr. Sinclair, if his presence before the committee could be compelled, would add other interesting chapters to the disclosures. The transactions referred to by Mr. Doheny were all a part of a big game in which hundreds of millions of dollars were involved.

It is natural enough that public indignation and censure are not directed so much against the free-handed distributors of this largess as against those who are accused of bartering their personal and political influence in exchange for money held so cheaply by those who paid only in the hope of being enabled to make millions by the investment of thousands. Disappointment and resentment are felt because it has been shown how lightly those in whom confidence and trust have been reposed so often regard their obligations to give in return conscientious and unselfish service.

Against those honest and high-minded individuals of whatever political organization who have escaped the temptation which has proved the downfall of the few, no word of reproach can be uttered. They are not, because they are politicians, dishonest or grasping, per se. To include all public servants in the blanket indictment would be to commit a grave injustice. But to know that those who offend cannot forever remain immune is reassuring, not only to the people, but to those who strive earnestly to serve acceptably and honestly.

THE irreconcilable opponents of all efforts directed toward dealing with international disputes on the basis

Here Is Fine Game for Propaganda Hunters of reason and law instead of by the wild ways of war conceal with devious devices the real motives that are behind their relentless campaigning against world peace. If attempts are started to analyze and reveal the actual reasons for their hostil-

ity to peace, they raise deprecating senatorial hands in comic dignity and solemnly warn: "We will allow no one to impugn the motives of a senator." The varied smoke screens and camouflages they have used, in the years of struggle toward the light of common sense since Armistice Day, are become more and more evident to a gradually awakening public. That the people see the ludicrousness of the exhibition that Senators "Jim" Reed and George Moses are making in their quixotic tilting at the Bok windmill is an encouraging sign that the days of anti-peace propaganda are about over.

It should be emphasized here, however, that the desire and the determination to obtain world peace through legal world action are distinctly "native American." They are children of no foreign propaganda whatever. An interesting and illuminating evidence of this is furnished by a discovery in the archives of the Vermont Legislature. If there is one state that has always been peculiarly American and untouched by the infusion either of foreign population or ideas, it is Vermont. It has been discovered that in 1850, ten years before the election of Lincoln as President, long before the influx of immigrants had begun to change the population of the Nation to an appreciable degree, and when a foreigner in Vermont was about as rare as teeth in the Green Mountain State's turkeys, the Legislature passed this resolution:

Resolved, by the Senate and House of Representatives, That our senators and representatives in Congress be requested to press upon the consideration of their respective houses, with as little delay as may be, the propriety of a joint resolution, requesting the President of the United States to propose to all nations, with whom we have regular diplomatic intercourse, the establishment of a permanent board to settle all international disputes or claims.

Resolved, That the Governor be requested to forward a copy of these resolutions to the President of the United States, and to the executive of each of the states of the Union, inviting the latter to lay the same before their respective Legislatures, and request their co-operation.

Even if we continue to respect the irreconcilables' supersensitiveness to motive finding, it is well to expose the hollowness of their pretenses in striving to block every step toward international comity. One of the favorite alarm bells on which the changes have been rung to frighten people away, first from the League of Nations and now from the World Court, has been "Americanism." The air has been kept quivering with warnings against "insidious propaganda" designed to destroy American "sovereignty" and to "entangle" the United States in the "intrigues of Europe." This effort to mislead is the basis of the veiled suggestions and intimations that there is "propaganda" in the Bok peace award.

To help in keeping the people's eyes open for these pretenses, it is well to remind them repeatedly that the United States, and not Europe, is the particular source and home of aspirations and efforts for preventing war through international organization. George Washington, in a letter to a friend, expressed the hope that in his lifetime he would see the formation of a "parliament of nations" that would forever do away with war. The United States, above all other countries, has advocated and obtained the adoption of arbitration for settling international disputes.

Senators Reed and Moses, as ardent and watchful patriots, ought to focus their keen intellects at once on disclosing the source of the dread foreign propaganda which inspired the dangerous resolution which emanated from the Vermont Legislature, and which also prompted George Washington to his "un-American" stand.

Engineering has done much to place Canada among the great super-producing nations, especially in overcom-

Canadian Engineering Progress ing transportation obstacles. But the tendency in the Dominion is to press forward with still more new projects for the development of natural resources. Discussion at the sessions of the annual meeting of the Engineering Institute of Canada, in Ot-

tawa, recently, seemed to be largely concerned with plans for increasing the Dominion's capacity to produce. Comprehensive discussion of the St. Lawrence deepwaterway project, and the power development connected with it, placed some valuable information on record in the annals of the institute. The engineers also discussed the problem of an improved fuel supply from Canada's own natural resources. At the present time, some of the most populous provinces of Canada are almost entirely dependent upon coal from the United States for domestic heating purposes. But research work is being pressed forward vigorously to produce suitable substitutes for Pennsylvania anthracite.

The conversion of Canadian coals into household coke is seen to be one of the most economical methods. As a plan for utilizing home resources it should appeal to the Canadian public. At the same time, with the exception of some interests in the United States that are commercially concerned with exporting anthracite to Canada, it is believed that American public opinion would regard with approval the Dominion's initiative to substitute Canadian for imported fuel. The supply of anthracite in recent years has not been greatly in excess of the demand.

In addition to the Canadian engineering research for fuel materials, such as coke, peat, lignites, gas, and oil, there is every reason to believe that the development of the Dominion's "white coal" resources will be greatly expedited within the next few years. It is so much more economical to use electricity instead of steam for industrial purposes that the arguments in favor of harnessing Canadian rivers and waterfalls find ready acceptance.

Such organizations as the Engineering Institute of Canada do excellent work in helping to stimulate public interest in the possibilities of increased production and improved service. It would be well for the Dominion, and for other super-producing countries, if a consumers institute, or the people organized as consumers in some form, were devoting as much constructive thought to the urgent problem of increasing distribution—in other words, of bringing effective demand more nearly up to the established capacity of modern industry to produce and deliver the goods.

IN THAT far stretch of country in the United States which extends from the New England coast to the Pacific,

A Small

Investment

in Kindness

and which at this season of the year insinuates its way far to the south, there are millions of little birds and animals which are in need of thoughtful human care. In the cities and towns particularly, where no natural provision has been made for the supplying of food in the form of

supplying of food in the form of nuts and seeds, the lot of the little folk is a precarious one when the north wind covers the ground with snow and sleet. And water is as scarce as food, and as much needed.

Many a boy and girl who enjoys the presence of these companions during the summer months might show generous appreciation now by sharing with them some of the comforts almost thoughtlessly enjoyed. The little fellows cannot appeal to us in words, but their plight is eloquent if one stops to consider it. If it could be imagined that there is such a country as Birdland, or Rabbitland, one might carry the illusion a little farther and wonder what he or she would do if left to search for food there when the birds or rabbits had stored every particle of the available supply in their granaries and houses. We would be inclined to regard as inhospitable those whom we had gone to visit, if they refused to share their supply with us

The experiences of thousands of American boys and girls have proved to their satisfaction that birds and animals generously respond to any kindness shown them. And they pay rich dividends. Those who have provided hird houses and food for the tenants have learned how unfailingly their little friends return year after year, bringing with them others whom they have told of their welcome. This quick response tends to convince all of us that this is a friendly sort of world. And true friendliness implies the willingness to assist all who are in need. We may be inclined to prefer the companionship of the summer birds to that of the gray sparrows and the cottontail rabbits, just as we prefer the companionship of some friends above that of others. But we do not show this selfishly. We have found, if we have tried it, that we gain more genuine happiness from being kind to those we do not so greatly admire than from making a more nearly even exchange of kindnesses that involve no trouble or sacrifice.

Editorial Notes

IF ANY nation surpasses Canada at the game of ice hockey, that nation has yet to assert itself. Once again the Canadians have captured the highest international honors in this sport, which is considered by many critics to embody more speed and action than any form of athletics. That the Canadian players were unquestionably superior to their United States rivals in the final game at Chamonix, France, where the winter sports this year have been contested, is shown by the score of six to one by which the Dominion sextet was returned victor. Still, the game is finding favor so rapidly in the northern states, particularly in New England, Pennsylvania, and the Great Lakes region, where the clubs are banded together in an association, that a different tale may be written on the ice at the next Olympic festival, wherever it may be held.

It is cause for satisfaction that the publication in the United Kingdom during 1923 of 12,274 books, as attested by the Publishers Circular and Booksellers' Record, comprises practically a record achievement. Only in 1913, that is, when a total of 12,379 books were published, has this number been surpassed. It means that to all intents and purposes British publishing has entirely recovered from the effects of the war and its consequent economic depression. As such, it carries with it the promise of at least equal results in many fields of endeavor.

A British Onlooker's Diary

By Cable from Monitor Bureau

LONDON, Feb. 6—Woodrow Wilson's passing created widespread sorrow here, where the remembrance of him as a leader of humanity and the pioneer of an idea that will never die, however faulty the shape he imparted to it may have been, outlasts the criticism and the rebuffs he suffered at Paris. There was a time when Mr. Wilson was as great a political figure here as in the United States, and those who recall, as I do, his regal reception in London and the wonderful speech in which he outlined his hopes and vision seemed to many to signal the dawn of a new age for war-wasted Europe. The speech was a great success. Herbert Asquith thought it one of the finest he had ever heard, and the President's noble demeanor confirmed the impression it gave of his lofty aims and idealistic temper.

Later on, I had a long interview with him in Paris. He had changed considerably in appearance, and was visibly worn and not a little discouraged by the obstacles to a just peace thrown up by the militaristic attitude of the French, and the complications in Central and Eastern Europe. He spoke of the obstacles frankly and sadly, and a very little later came the news that the captain of the steamship George Washington had orders to be in readiness to sail for the United States. So far as British opinion was concerned, the later knowledge of the President's great effort at Paris conveyed in Ray Stannard Baker's book and other publications, created a marked reaction in his favor. The old hero-worship had died away. But to the end Woodrow Wilson kept his place in British affections. The lives of millions were gambled away at Paris, but it was realized here, not only that he had taken no part in the speculation, but that he labored to convert the "politics of power" into an act of honest, enduring statesmanship

One of the most disappointing features of Mr. Wilson's policy in Paris was his coldness to the idea of giving representative parliamentary coloring to the Council of the League of Nations. I ventured to point out this to him, but he did not respond and the idea fell through for lack of support by the great champion of the League, no less than by its tepid friends and avowed enemies. His great victory was the defeat of the French policy of making the Rhine the boundary between France and Germany, thus avoiding the iniquity of basing the Treaty of Versailles on the secret Franco-Russian Treaty of 1917; and that he fought against and modified the scheme for French administration of the Saar. The total impression I derived then was that he was a beaten man, but that, as a fine gentleman and an honest statesman, he was conducting a powerful rear-guard action.

The Labor Government has had a strikingly successful debut. The tone of the press, the feeling in society, the attitude of the parties, have undergone a significant change. The causes of this reaction are varied. The level of ability and energy in administration has been greatly raised with Ramsay MacDonald's replacement of Stanley Baldwin. It is not a case of a Galba succeeding a Nero. The new Prime Minister is not an ordinary man, and his vivid intelligence and rapid and well-equipped mind, his eloquence, his powers of work, his instinct for action, have wrought a great change in the political situation and already promise a corresponding improvement in things ahead.

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Especially is it felt that the form of the recognition of Russia has been well chosen. The negotiation has not been free from difficulty. The old officials would have much preferred the delay of recognition until after a provisional settlement had been arranged on public debts and private claims. and on the Asian policy of the two countries. It is enough to say that this view has been turned down, and a more unqualified attitude finally adopted. On the Russian side there is ground for hope that there will be a quick resort to a form of democratic government. One reason for this is that the membership of the Communist Party has decreased so much of late, owing to expulsions and resignations, that it will be necessary shortly to enlarge its borders. An arrangement to this effect may even be made with the Social Revolutionaries. Another reason is, that there is a genuine public opinion arising in Russia whose ultimate expression will be a demand for a free press and a free party, and neither the unpopular F. C. Zinovieff, nor the doubtful and ambitious Leon Trotzky, who oppose it, is in favor. Therefore, the influence of British democracy is, at this moment, of vital importance. The Government earnestly desires to be an instrument, not merely of political method, but of a new moral order to which the best minds in all countries are beginning to look as the only solution of their economic difficulties.

Toward the end of the speech of the new American Ambassador at the Pilgrims' dinner, is a very significant contribution. Frank B. Kellogg spoke after Mr. MacDonald, whose brilliant speech was a finished expression of the indissoluble feeling which exists between the two countries, otherwise the Prime Minister would probably have made a specific response to the ambassadorial suggestion. Mr. Kellogg stated, in very precise terms, his sympathy with the idea of a general and compulsory arbitration treaty between England and the United States, designed as a model for other countries, and, eventually, as a universal bond of union, carrying with it, equally, a gen eral measure for disarmament. It is understood here that Mr. Kellogg did not speak without authority, and, in that event, it may be assumed the Government reply will be a cordial one. For I repeat that, behind all the ideas of a European settlement that are fermenting in so many minds, there is a conviction that, until America reunites herself with the world over here, nothing effective can come of them.

From all I could hear during a short visit which I have just made to the Coatinent, Mr. Poincare's fall is almost certainty. The Bloc National is doomed, is the view of all authorities whom I could consult, and the advent of the Left power at the coming elections is almost taken for granted. This course is an event of capital importance. The leader of this rapidly growing party, Edouard Herriot, has come to the front of French politics. The famous Mayor of Lyons, with Paul Painleve, and possibly, though not certainly, Aristide Briand, as lieutenants, has definitely repudiated the Poincare policy regarding the Ruhr, and is in favor of an accommodation with England. Thus there is a star of hope on the horizon. It is quite possible that by next summer a chain of governments of the Left will have been formed in England. France, Germany, and Belgium, and that, between them. policy of conciliation will lighten, and even dissipate, the dark cloud which again hangs over our distracted continent. But, whatever may be done in this direction, my inquiries only serve to strengthen my conviction that no formal settlement of the political, still less of the economic, crisis, can come without the aid of America. It is to her that all the peacemakers of Europe are looking in France and Belgium, no less than in Great Britain.